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MILLER SPECIAL LEADS IN MOTOR RACES

Humphreys Pure Makes Survey For Pipe Line To Powell

SETTING CASING AT MOODY TEST WEST OF MEXIA

WORK OF COMPLETION BEGINS IN EARNEST AND WITH CAUTION

WELL IS WATCHED

Test Being Made by Goose Creek and Houston Oil Operators—Important to Mexia

Work was finished yesterday in the setting of the final casing of the Moody well at Tehuacana, and from now on the work of completion will be carried along in a careful manner to avoid any trouble that might happen in hasty work.

It has been fifteen months since this te t was started and was drilled for the first 2200 feet with a Rotary outfit and has been brought down to its present level with standard tools.

There have been very many interesting formations found in this well and at one time in the opinion of J. B. Patty, who is lease superintendent, a producer of some kind could have been made at a shallow depth around 1800 feet, however this was passed up.

Tehuacana and the hills surrounding the town for years has been the subject of great discussion among oil men and geologists, over 10 years ago an eminent geologist connected with the Government worked out the structure around Tehuacana hills. At this early time he predicted that at some future time an oil field would be opened up there, and one of great magnitude. Since then several geologists have spent a great deal of time in the territory where the Moody well is now drilling. Among whom Dr. F. H. Whitney, of the Texas State University, considered an authority on Texas Geology, Dr. Tucker of Dallas and others have made surveys. In most every instance they have been of the opinion that Tehuacana hills and the adjacent territory presented wonderful possibilities.

The eyes of the oil operators and the scouts for the large companies have been centered on this development during the past few weeks on account of the unusual showing of heavy oil and lots of gas. Yesterday when the casing was being set and the mud agitated considerable gas and oil was shown.

Driller Fred Hogue, is supervising the work and is proceeding carefully with the work. He is being assisted by "Doc" Fairfield, well known driller who drilled the first Berthelson gusher in the main Mexia field for the Humphreys oil company. They also have skilled assistants.

The coming in of the Moody well will mean more to the business interests of Mexia and Tehuacana and will mean more than anything that has happened along the lines of development since the boom days of Mexia.

The well is being drilled and financed by the Goose Creek-Mexia Oil company composed of Goose-Creek and Houston oil men. This development was started by Charles P. Tindley and Fred H. Butcher, who control valuable acreage surrounded the well. Judge Lee P. Pierson and Carl Anderson and Horton of the Uvalde Paving Company with some friends are also heavyily interested.

The J. K. Hughes Developing Company's McKie gusher is steadily maintaining its reputation as a wonderful well. Reports today are that it is making as high as 7,000 barrels of pure pipe line oil and the lowest estimates heard expressed by any oil men is between four and five thousand barrels. The well came in three weeks ago today and whether making 4,000 or 7,000 barrels daily, the record established and the continued heavy production class it as one of the most valuable oil producing properties ever brought in in Texas.

The first day's flow of the J. L. Thompson Oil Corporation's Springfield 1 is proving another subject of discussion among the oil fraternity. Estimates have been heard expressed in leading oil companies offices here today that the Magnolia Company will likely secure 65,000 barrels of crude product out of the earthen storage reservoirs about the well in which the production gushed the first thirty hours of its life.

Daily more derricks are rising in the Powell field. About sixty are already up and these will be increased daily until Powell will have a Golden Lane more than a mile in length in a very short while.

Much activity is noted at Mildred, the new station on the T. & B. V. Oil men here are urging that efforts be made to secure daily train each way from here to Mildred and Corsicana over that line. This will enable those going to Powell to get there in the shortest possible time, they say, the distance to Mildred being just about the same as the overland distance to Corsicana and when reaching the new station, the field is only a short distance away. It is likely that efforts to secure this morning and evening train will be made at once.

Mexia is being visited daily by hundreds who have been attracted to the section because of the late J. L. Thompson Oil Corporation's Springfield. It is known to the world that practically every producing well in the Powell field is owned by a Mexia born and Mexia operating oil company whose headquarters are maintained here. The other companies upon whom future development at Powell depends also operate in the Mexia field which extends southwest many miles. This retains Mexia as the center of activities and the daylight train to serve both pools is being strongly urged.

It is likely also that the H. & T. C. will also put on service from Corsicana here in the late afternoon.

At Currie and Wortham things are expected to happen in a few days. At least two wells, those being drilled by the Texas company are looked for in a few days and the belief is prevalent that the new producers will be in the thousands of barrels daily class.

Many new derricks are up in that sector.

The Humphreys Pure Pipe Line Company today is surveying for a line into Powell. The Prairie Company will complete its line in about two weeks. Already seven miles have been laid.

The Humphreys Oil company is building a concrete bridge across Chambers Creek between Powell and Mildred which will give Mildred a splendid gravel road to the field. This bridge is being built by the Humphreys Oil company and is considered a splendid gift to Navarro county.

Southwest of Mexia at the Brown test of the Humphreys Oil Company casing is being set today at 3095 or 3100 feet.

Work of erecting steel storage tanks continues at the Thompson-Springfield well today while the hole remains bridged, and the flow shut in.

Eleven 1,000 barrel tanks are being put up to catch and gauge the flow. Completion of pipe lines of the Magnolia Petroleum Company, the Humble, the Texas and the Prairie companies is being rushed.

A number of derrick patterns for use in drilling offsets to the new well have been unloaded, and workmen are rushing their completion. The Thompson Company has started an offset to the west of the well. The Sun Oil Company has made three offset locations on its lease adjoining on the east.

No effort will be made to unbridge the well until tankage is ready and necessary facilities installed for keeping the well under control and taking care of the oil. Practically four-fifths of the five-acre lease is covered in a veritable sea of oil. Dykes have been thrown up and the production is conserved. Pumps are installed for lifting this overflow into the tanks. On the four covered acres the oil tanks on an average of two feet deep. This represents the flow of the well during the thirty hours of its flow. A Christmas tree valve control is being installed. This consists of an extra heavy six and five-eighth cross pipe with heavy gate valve with a double six-inch flow pipe extending to the tanks.

Four inch fittings which were on the well failed to hold. The pressure of the gas and oil ground out the fittings, causing them to break at the union joints. Portions of the derrick floor and heavy upright timbers were ground off by the terrific force.

Two boilers have been steamed up for power for operating several big pumps for lifting the oil from the ground pool.

The Springfield No. 2 showed increased heads of oil Monday night. Bailing continues at this well.

A number of tests will probably be going on the western boundary of the forty-acre Springfield lease owned by the Corsicana Deep Well Company. The whole valley intervening from the Thompson gusher and Chambers creek will likely be covered with derricks and active drilling will be in progress in less than fifteen days.

Used "Phantom Baby" To Win "Bill" Hart

Bill Hart's Phantom Baby

This "phantom baby"—phantom not so far as his existence is concerned, but because he was not as represented — was used by Miss Elizabeth McCaulley, Brookline, Massachusettes) school teacher, in an endeavor to win "Bill" Hart, movie star. She swore the boy was her son by Hart's, but has confessed and exonerated the actor.

"THEY HAVE NOT DIED IN VAIN"

"On Fame's eternal camping ground their silent tents are spread,
And Glory guards, with solemn round, the Bivouac of the Dead."
—Father Ryan.

They are passing along in line today,
The brown and the gray and the blue,
Heroes who hallowed the nation's ground
Who gave their all for you;
Straight and tall, with a swinging step,
Or bowed with feet of lead,
They are marching on in an endless line—
Our country's glorious dead.
—Katherine Edelman.

"TIGER WOMAN" TELLS HOW SHE WAS LIBERATED

WAS RESCUED BY CARSON WHO FILED BARS TO HER JAIL CELL

ON WAY TO CALIF.

Will Endeavor to Prove Her Innocence upon Return to State Where First Tried

NEW ORLEANS, May 30—Clara Phillips, "hammer murdess" in custody of Undersheriff Biscailuse prepared for the last lap of her return trip from Honduras to a lonely cell in Los Angeles today..

The "tiger woman" will leave here on a Southern Pacific train at noon for California, where she staged her sensational jail break following conviction of the murder of Mrs. Alberta Meadows.

Mrs. Phillips had lost none of her composure today.

She retold her startling story recited on her arrival here aboard the Copan, how she turned down offers to be "Queen" of the Honduras Republic, and returned to the United States voluntarily to prove she was innocent.

"I waived extradition and decided to return here and face the misic because I prefer convict life in Americt to a life of shame in the tropics" declared the notorious fugutive, who said she had been offered her freedom and a life of luxury by a high Honduras official if she would become "mistress" of his household.

Mrs. Phillips again protested that she had been a victim of a "frame up", that when she arrived in Los Angeles she would tell the real story to officials and produce evidence that would exonerate her.

The details of her sensational jail break at Los Angeles revealed by the captive for the first time on her arrival here.

Jesse Carson, "soldier of fortune", played the part of her heroic recuer, she said, after becoming infatuated with her beauty and personality during the murder trial.

Carson, picturesque and imaginative adventurer, had visions of becoming dictator of the Honduras Republic. With this dream came the desire to win the love of the "tiger woman", rescue her from her cell and take her to Honduras where he had planned to stage a revolution and then establish Clara as his confidante and co-ruler.

Then one night, armed with a hack saw Carson scaled the outer wall of the Los Angeles jail yard, climbed over the roof of Clara's cell and sawed the bars. Sliding down the walls together, they jumped into a waiting automobile and sped away in the darkness. For months later they were the object of an international search, which ended in their arrest in Honduras.

ENTRANTS INNIANAPOLIS SPEEDWAY RACES:

Car	Driver
Packard Special	Ralph DePalma
Packard Special	Joe Boyer
Packard Special	Dario Resta
Mercedes Special (German)	Christian Lautenschlager
Mercedes Special (German)	Max Sailer
Mercedes Special (German)	Christian Werner
Durant Special	Harry Hartz
Durant Special	Cliff Durant
Scheel-Frontenac	Dave Lewis
Durant Special	Jimmy Murphy
Durant Special	Eddie Hearne
Miller Special	Tommy Milton
Bugatti (French)	Pierre de Vizcaya
Bugatti (French)	Prince de Cystria
Bugatti (French)	Raoul Reganti
Bugatti (French)	M. de Alsaga
Duesenberg Special	(Not named)
Duesenberg Special	(Not named)
Miller Special	Bennett Hill
Scheel-Frontenac	Herbert Schee
Scheel-Frontenac	Ira Vail
Scheel-Frontenac	C. W. Van Ranst
Durant Special	Marlan Fengler
Barber-Warnock Special	L. L. Corum
Durant Special	Earl Cooper
Special	Frank Elliott
F. W. H. Special	F. H. Wells
Duesenberg Special	Jerry Wonderlich
Durant Special	Leon Duray
Clements Special	(Not Named)
Bugatti (French)	Count Zborowski

Speak Flag Mystery Driver

Indianapolis, May 30—Tommy Milton in H. C. S. special is leading at the end of the first two hundred miles in the five hundred mile international sweepstakes race here.

There are cars from Germany and France, from California, Indiana, New Jersey, Michigan and Missouri. Germany has three entrants and France five. The drivers come from England, France, Poland, Italy, Germany and the Argentine, and from every section of the United States.

Among the better known American drivers are Jimmy Murphy, winner of last year's race, Tommy Milton, Ralph DePalma, Joe Boyer, Dario Resta, Eddie Hearne, Harry Hartz and Cliff Durant.

The aristocracy and nobility of the old world are represented by Count Zborowski a Polish nobleman, and Prince de Cystria, a member of the old French aristocracy.

Jimmy Murphy, won the 1922 event in five hours, 17 minutes and 30 seconds at an average speed of 94.48 miles an hour, Harroun, winner of the first race in 1911, made the 500 miles at an average speed of 74.59 miles an hour.

By GERALD OVERTON.
United Press Staff Correspondant.

INDIANAPOLIS MOTOR SPEEDWAY, May 30—A mob of speed fans, nearly 150,000 strong, began flowing through the gates of the Speedway here shortly after dawn today for the Eleventh Annual 500 mile sweepstakes race.

Hundreds parked their cars in double file along the roads leading to the Speedway and kept vigal throughout the night in order to obtain places of vantage for the gasoline derby.

Indianapolis teemed with a Cosmopolitan crowd of visitors. Streets were jammed with dust-stained automobiles bearing license plates from practically every state in the Union. The sky was overcast with rain threatening but the crowd was thankful for relief from sweltering heat.

Early morning found pilots of the twenty-three and possibly twenty-six cars, which will start, a stir in their garages looking the mechanism over for the last time. Most of the drivers turned in early last night for a second sleep in preparation for the 500 mile grind, an ordeal of nerve and muscle as well as tires and engines.

Twenty-three cars with qualification records ranging from 81 miles an hour to the 108.17 miles record hung up by Tommy Milton at the wheel of the H. C. S. Miller-motored special, were being primed and oiled for the starter's bomb at 10 o'clock.

The three Indianapolis Duesenberg specials put in a late appearance at the track yesterday and they will have to run qualification lays early today.

POCAHONTAS IS NOT IN GRAVE WHERE BURIED

AMERICANS SEEK TO BRING REMAINS BACK TO U. S.

GRACE IS EMPTY!

Died of Smallpox in London Three Centuries Ago Says History

LONDON, May 30—Americans who today opened the grave which has been honored for years as the resting place of Pocahontas found it empty. According to records she was buried at Gravesend three centuries ago, after she died of small pox while in England with her husband, John Rolfe. The Americans planned to bring the body back to America for burial.

GRIP IS BROKEN MEN RETURN TO WORK IN VALLEY

COMMUNIST LOSE IN STRUGGLE AGAINST THE FRENCH FORCES

MOVE IS GENERAL

Only Few Attempts at Plundering Are Noted in Shops and One Mob Active

By CARL D. GROAT.
United Press Staff Correspondent.

BERLIN, May 30.—The grip of the communist on the Ruhr appeared to be broken today, when men returned to their jobs in large numbers, abandoning the terror campaign against prices and wages.

General increases were granted miners by the industrialists, and the workers went back to the pits.

A miners' meeting at Galsankirchen, considered the center of communist disorder in the Ruhr, voted to resume work. The atendants at the meeting included many communists who seemed at least temporarily pasified.

Only a few minor attempts at plundering shops were reported, and the movement for peace appears general.

A mob in Dortmund this morning threatened disorders for a time, but finally was dispersed by police.

The serious situation now apears to be in Bochum, where telegraph and telephone communication has been suspended since the French occupation. Entrance of additional police upon the scene evidently was largely instrumental in calming the situation.

HARDING HOLDS SAME VIEWS AS FORMER LEADER

Washington, May 30.—Beside the graves of America's war dead President Harding today recommitted himself to the pledge to unite America with other nations in a plan for preventing future wars. "This is a world relationship we cannot avoid and will not avoid," the president declared.

Baldwin Wants Chamberlain in His Ministry

Stanley Baldwin, Austen Chamberlain

Here is the latest photograph of Stanley Baldwin, formerly Chancellor of the Exchequer, who has been appointed Premier by King George. Mr. Baldwin has asked Austen Chamberlain to re-enter the Cabinet.

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CROSS CROSSINGS CAUTIOUSLY

On June 1st the railroads will again inaugurate a three months campaign to "CROSS CROSSINGS CAUTIOUSLY" and they are asking all of the commercial organizations, luncheon clubs and others to assist them in bringing this matter to the attention of the public.

B. S. Hollimon, superintendent of the Dallas Division of the Southern Pacific lines, states in a letter to the Chamber of Commerce that within the past five years over 9,000 people have been killed on grade crossings and that by far the greater number of these were occupants of automobiles. Thus it is shown conclusively that a great many accidents are due to lack of attention and carelessness on the part of the drivers of the automobiles.

Nine thousand accidents in five years, averaging 1,800 per year or a trifle over 34 people a week, or an average of practically 5 people per day killed on grade crossings in the U. S.

This is pitable, when it is considered that practically every one of these casualties can be avoided; and the railroads are to be commended for the inauguration of the "CROSS CROSSINGS CAREFULLY" Campaign.

There are two motives actuating the Railroads in this campaign. First, is to conserve life. Often young lives, full of promise, are snuffed out, men and women in early maturity have their careers abruptly terminated, children are deprived of their means of support and wives are made widows.

There is still another side which is the less-important side of this: It is the consideration of the economic loss, and it will pay all drivers of automobiles to heed the warnings that the railroads are constantly giving.

"CROSS CROSSINGS CAUTIOUSLY."

THE AVENUE BEAUTIFUL

Today, the pavement on Ross Avenue is finished.

The street gives promise of becoming noted as one of the most beautiful avenues to be found in any Texas city.

Already folks are beginning to observe and remark "I believe Ross Avenue is one of the prettiest streets I have ever seen."

The property and home owners on Ross no doubt are very proud of the appearance of their street now. They are proud of the reputation that it sustains among streets of Mexia's constantly expanding and ever improving residential areas. They will undoubtedly constantly take pride in its retention of its present enviable character and strive vigorously and uniformly to increase the loveliness of the muchly traveled thoroughfare.

In beautifying any street or avenue, every property owner must necessarily cooperate. One unkept lawn or vacant lot and one spot along the curb unattended can easily and does mar the appearance of the whole.

If the citizens on all streets, paved or unpaved, will decide upon some manner of beautification easily within the possibilities of all to cooperate in, then every piece of property and all premises here will share in the worthy work and its resultant increase in property values.

Mexia will thereby attract the attention of every visitor. Many will then long to move to Mexia and become a part of its active and enterprising life. More homes will go up constantly and Mexia will find its improvement program cooperated with by its practical city beautification plans.

In the meantime lets change the method of street designation here, in line with the suggestion in The News Sunday morning.

ICE SKATES PLENTIFUL IN .....

Although Los Angeles is a city that knows no snows, Allen Holubar, director of "Slander the Woman," starring Dorothy Phillips, the feature now being shown at the National Theatre, had no trouble in securing all the ice skaters he desired when he filmed the big skating scenes in the production.

Over one hundred men, women and children answered the call issued by Holubar for professional ice skaters to appear in the picture. And all were given a trial on the ice at the United Studios, where a large indoor rink had been contructed exclusively for the production. Strange to say, fully eighty per cent of the applicants were accomplished performers on the ice and these were immediately given parts in "Slander the Woman."

PARIS, May 30.—Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen is still suffering from the breakdown that followed her play in the hard court finals Sunday, but may be able to play in the singles at Wimbledon.

CARIBOU IN THE CARIBOO, FOR BIG GAME HUNTERS; ALSO SPORT AND HEALTH FOR ALL VISITORS THERE

MT MITCHELL, QUESNEL LAKE — CARIBOO GUIDE AND BEAR DOG WITH THEIR KILL

Cariboo Lodge at the foot of 80-mile long Quesnel Lake, 200 miles north of Ashcroft in British Columbia, is one of the newest lures for big game hunters and lovers of outdoor life. It is the gateway to the Cariboo hunting and fishing grounds located on the Great Interior Plateau between the Rockies and the Cascades, east of the Fraser River.

The waters of this region afford most satisfying sport; Silver and Rainbow Trout up to seven and eight pounds, rise to the fly; fly fishing, bait and spoon casting and deep water trolling may be followed with gratifying success.

Wild game is plentiful; ducks of all kinds abound, while Blue Grouse, Willow Grouse and Prairie Chicken are found in large numbers, the season for shooting these birds opens September 1st.

The Cariboo district is essentially a Big Game country and the hunter has unusual opportunities to bring down Grizzly, Brown and Black Bear. May 1st to June 30th is the best time to hunt bear here. This region is a natural home for moose, caribou, mountain goat and deer and practically every hunter who shoots over this country gets a full bag. The season opens Sept. 1st and caribou can often be hunted well on into December.

From the North Arm of Quesnel Lake, a portage of six miles leads to Mitchell Lake, 10 miles long, which is surrounded by a wonderfully rich Big Game territory. Another trip springs from the head of Quesnel's East Arm, involving an 8-mile portage to Upper, Blue and Lower Clearwater Lakes, about which another rich and only partly explored region awaits the 1923 hunter. One of the best moose districts in the northwest is reached by saddle train to Cariboo Lake, a distance of 18 miles from the Lodge, then by boat and canoe to the end of navigation on Swamp River, altogether about 35 miles.

The bag limit is 1 moose, 2 caribou, 3 deer, 3 bear and 2 goat. Only one grizzly allowed.

This district is growing rapidly in popularity and parties considering going into it to hunt or fish should make reservations as early as possible. E. S. Knight of Ashcroft runs the Lodge and transports his clientele by motor from Ashcroft. The trip can be made in one day if an early start is made, otherwise a night is spent en route at one of the roadhouses where meals and accommodations are of the best.

For those who neither care to fish or hunt, yet long for the wilds, the Lodge will provide a pleasant summer retreat, where boating, climbing and pony riding afford recreation.

CREAMERY PROPOSED FOR MEXIA BY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WHO IS READY TO FORWARD PROJECT

One of the greatest money makers for a town, it's people and the farmers is a creamery. There is being agitated at the present, a creamery for Mexia. One great and impressive fact regarding a creamery is the fact that each and every day it turns so much money loose in the channels of trade that is spent with the merchants and all business institutions of a community. Cotton and corn come once a year and with great labor and planning—milk, butter and cream come each and every day and are used accordingly. They are necessities and must be supplied. When this matter was brought up several years ago by leading citizens we were confronted with several obstacles and two of the leading hindrances have been overcome. One was, we did not have the cows, the other the good roads over which the milk could be brought in every day to the creamery. An added advantage is the fact that we now have ten thousand people using these necessities wherein then we had only about one fourth that number.

There are today five hundred cows being milked in and near Mexia and this can easily be raised to seven hundred which will be a surplus of about two hundred cows over minimum requirements.

One of the largest dairymen is now milking one hundred and forty cows and states he will add one hundred if we get the creamery. There is a quick turn-over in milk products, the raw products comes in today and is out tomorrow a finished product on the worlds' market.

There are from twenty-five to thirty cases of butter shipped in and sold every day in Mexia, also ten to fifteen gallons of sweet cream that the writer knows of, as well as thirty gallons of Bulgarian butter milk. This makes a conservative total of over four hundred dollars per day that leaves Mexia and goes to other Cities, which as you can see is twelve thousand dollars per month and near fifty thousand a year that can easily be kept at home and spent with our local merchants. These figures are based on present market prices and do not take into consideration the money that is paid to the farmers and dairymen each day for these products as raw material.

Here is a lesson in economics brought face to face with the citiezns of Mexia. A first class creamery can be erected for ten thousand dollars and this will set aside a safe sum for operation, and this small investment is one of the safest possible, for it will furnish a necessity.

Again the happiness of a people depends on two fundamentals, as follows: FRESH PURE WATER, and FRESH PURE MILK. Of course a creamery is necessarily run and handled in every respect in acordance with one of the strictest laws in the state—all milk has to be Pasturized. We know what this means. No city today is allowed to sell or allowed to have sold milk that is NOT Pasturized. Which means that all germs of every kind are eliminated from same. The health of all children is dependent on a fresh, safe supply of milk, and the creamery FULLY guarantees this. Then from the health standpoint alone it is fully worth the effort and investment to put it in.

The largest dairymen have been approached on the subject and they are HEARTILY in accord with the movement. This is just a step foreward, for a Big Strong healthy community. Shall we GO or slip back?

It is an admitted fact that, IF we don't move foreward, we do not stand still—we go backwards, and can Mexia refuse such step forward when not only is a creamery a safe-guard for health, but it is a safe investment as well. Wherein money invested will be paid out regularlly in dividends. A creamery is a paying institution.

The Chamber of Commerce would like to hear from any citizen who is interested in, and would like to forward the creamery movement.

CHAMPION ICE SKATERS .....

That ice skating in Southern California is not a lost art was recently evidenced when Allen Holubar, producer-director of a motion picture story based on life in Northeastern Canada issued a call for one hundred professional ice skaters. Over three hundred persons from Los Angeles and surrounding districts, ranging in ages from eight to sixty years, answered the advertisements which were printed in local newspapers.

Included in the applicants who would appear in "Slander the Woman," the Allen Holubar production which features Dorothy Phillips in the stellar role, were several skaters of international reputation and fully a score who had appeared in vaudeville or revues at various times. Of this number were John Nilsson, of Minneapolis, four times winner of the world's championship medal for fancy rink skating, and S. L. Smith, former headliner of a large Eastern vaudeville circuit. The former skater annexed the Skater's Canada issued a call for one hundred tive year from 1897 to 1900 inclusive.

"Slander the Woman" is now being exhibited at the National Theatre. The story has to do with social life in Canada where ice skating is the favorite outdoor sport. Inasmuch as there are no frozen lakes or outdoor rinks within several hundred miles of Los Angeles, and, as a scene lighted by artificial light is usually superior to natural illumination, Producer Holubar caused a mammoth ice rink to be constructed on Stage 2 at the United Studios, Hollywood, Cal., where the film was made.

Dorothy Phillips, star of the production, is an expert skater, having acquired a knowledge of the sport while wintering in the dominion a few years ago. In "Slander the Woman" she demonstrates her ability on the ice in a convincing manner. She is ably supported in her new picture by Lewis Dayton, noted English actor, and a capable cast.

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PUZZLE OF WHY DEBT HELPS SOME BUT HARMS OTHERS EXPLAINED

How a Debt Can Be Put to Work to Increase Earnings—Thrift and Loans Go Hand in Hand to Aid the Industrious.

The true use of debt in personal and business affairs remains something of a puzzle to many people. To some the very word "debt" signifies misfortune, while others merely fail to understand the ways in which they can put a debt to work for them to increase their earnings. The Committee on Public Education of the American Bankers Association has undertaken in the following discussion of how and why banks loan money to clear up these misunderstandings:

Some people think that to incur a debt at the bank is unwise, or a reflection on their business standing. This is not the case where the debt is contracted for legitimate business purposes. Incurring debt to live beyond one's income is something no thrifty person would do, and careless use of credit leads to extravagance and disaster, but wise borrowing is an encouragement to thrift and industry.

The first function of the banker is to encourage industry and thrift so that a large fund of bank deposits may be accumulated. This fund is often likened to a reservoir in which water is accumulated for community needs. The banker then loans from this fund to those conducting the business of the community.

The banker bases credit on what are known as the three C's of credit—Character, Capacity and Capital. Character is an imperative business qualification. Allied with character is Capacity. Before making a loan a banker takes into consideration the capacity of the applicant—that is, his ability to earn through his honesty and his industry. Capital is a man's worth in money, merchandise, stocks and bonds or lands, which may be given as collateral in security of a loan to make it safe.

Let us consider the business transactions of Mr. Smith, the storekeeper. He finds, with his business increasing, that he needs a larger stock of goods. Also, some of his customers do not pay cash, and their accounts must be carried until "pay day." He must have more money for his business, so he goes to his banker for advice. The banker asks Mr. Smith to submit a statement of his business, showing what he owns and what he owes. He knows Smith's character and responsibility from his observation of his dealings and from the confidence that people have in him. If he finds Mr. Smith's statement, and the progress he is making, satisfactory he will be glad to consider the best method of loaning him the needed funds.

How Money Is Loaned

Money is loaned by banks on straight notes, on indorsed notes, on collateral notes, on bills receivable and on trade acceptances. Mr. Smith may be told by the banker that, because he has sufficient money in his business and manages it well, the bank will extend him credit without his putting up any security beyond his own word of honor, evidenced by his note.

Let us say that Mr. Smith needs a maximum amount of $2,500 during his busiest season and that the bank has consented to grant him such a "line of credit." Mr. Smith could come to the bank and make out a note for any portion or all of this amount for any time up to six months. To pay some bills he needs, say, $500. He estimates that within sixty days he will receive from his charge customers enough money to repay this amount. He therefore makes a sixty day note, which the banker "discounts" at the prevailing rate of interest, let us say 6 per cent, and places the proceeds to Mr. Smith's credit. How much does he credit to Mr. Smith's account? Six per cent on $500 for sixty days is $5. This amount the banker deducts at the time the note is made, it being the interest which he charges Mr. Smith for the use of the money. He then credits Mr. Smith with the proceeds of the note, or $495. When the note is due in sixty days Mr. Smith has received payment from his customers, and he pays the bank $500. The bank marks the note paid and returns it to Mr. Smith.

If Mr. Smith's business condition were not sufficiently strong to warrant granting him unsecured credit the banker might say to Mr. Smith, "I want to help you, but you will have to get the indorsement of your friend, Mr. Jones." Jones is known to the banker as a very reliable and responsible business man. Should he be willing to help Mr. Smith he will write his name on the back of Mr. Smith's note and if Smith cannot pay the note when due Mr. Jones will have to pay.

In another case, the banker, still anxious to help Smith, might say, "I am willing to loan you up to $2,500, but you must secure the loan with the goods which you purchase for that amount and with some additional goods." Mr. Smith would have to warehouse the merchandise used as collateral in such a way that it might be easily identified through warehouse receipts as being the bank's property until the note is paid. If Smith finally found himself unable to pay, the banker could sell the merchandise and use the proceeds to pay the note. If the goods brought more than the amount of the note the bank would pay the excess to Mr. Smith; if the amount were not enough the bank would look to Mr. Smith to make good the difference.

Mortgage Loans

Loans against farm lands, called mortgage loans, are frequently made in country districts. If Mr. Smith, lacking an indorser or sufficient collateral or business standing, owned a farm free of debt he might give a mortgage on it as security.

The procedure would be somewhat different from loaning against merchandise. The law, realizing the useful place farm and home owners occupy, protects them in a special manner. It says to the lender, in case of default on a mortgage loan, "You must give the owner of land one year after serving notice that you expect to sell his land to pay the mortgage and redeem the debt." This is called the period of redemption.

Mr. Smith has still another method open to obtain funds from his banker. He has sold, say, a $500 bill of merchandise to Mr. Brown, a dealer in a smaller community, who must sell the goods to his own customers before he can pay Smith. Smith says to Brown: "If you can't pay cash give me a ninety day note. I will discount it and get immediate cash on it from my bank. I will have to pay 6 per cent interest to do so, and I shall want you to pay that interest." Mr. Brown agrees and makes his ninety day note for $500 with interest at 6 per cent. Mr. Smith takes this note to the bank, which advances him credit for $500. When the bank collects the note from Brown ninety days later it receives $507.50, the added $7.50 being the 6 per cent interest charge for the use meanwhile of the money for the ninety day period of the note.

These are the various ways in which the bank serves its community by placing, through loans, the accumulated thrift of the community at the disposal of business and industry.

Westminster's 27th Commencement Starts June 1

Friday June 1 is the date set for the beginning of commencement week at Westminister College at Tehuacana, near here. At 8:00 o'clock on that date, the Musical club will render a concert which the organization has been rehearsing for some time. It is certain to be a rare musical treat and many will likely atend from here.

The Sunday following, in the morning the Baccalaureate sermon will be delivered and in the evening will be held the Alumni service.

The Colleg has had a very successful year just ended and the commencement exercises are certain to reflect the finest expression of this achievement. It is the twenty-seventh Commencement for Westminister College.

The program is as follows:

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

Friday, June 1 8:00 p. m., Concert by the Musical Club.

Sunday, June 3, 11:00 a. m., Baccalaureate Service. 3:30 p. m., Ministerial Association. 8:00 p. m., Alumni Service.

Monday, June 4, 10:00 a. m., Bryan Debating Club. 3:00 p. m., Class Day Program. 8:00 p. m., Reading, Oration, and Essay Contest.

Tuesday, June 5, 10:00 a. m., Joint Society Celebration. 5:30 p. m., Alumni Banquet. 8:00 p. m., Fine Arts Program.

Wednesday, June 6, 10:00 a. m., Commencement Day. 3:30 p. m., Alumni Business Meeting. 8:00 p. m., Commencement Play.

FOR RENT—Furnished house for two or three months while party is out of town. Box 118. 30K1

Miss Frances King left Tuesday for her home in Houston where she will spend a few days with her family and friends. She will return to Mexia Sunday.

The friends of W. D. Freeman will be glad to know he is greatly improved although he is not able to go down town.

Harry Clair returned home from Tyler Tuesday night where he has been to the Tyler Commercial College.

666 Cures LaGrippe.

Patterson's Column

LAST night
* * *
WAS LADIES night
* * *
AT the Salesmanship
* * *
CLUB—and I was
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THERE—and I don't think
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I EVER SAW so many
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PRETTY women—and I
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TRIED to make a set
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SPEECH which I had
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PREPARED with care and
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PATIENCE
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AND it was all about
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THE LADIES and just
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AS I started to talk
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A PRETTY BLONDE
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LOOKED at me and
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SMILED ENCOURAGEINGLY
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AND I WENT up in the
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AIR—mentally and
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FORGOT my speech
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AND my head got hot
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AND my feet got
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COLD and the
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PERSPERATION flowed
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DOWN my spine like
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A RIVER and I sat
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DOWN disgusted and
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THE JUDGES rubbed it
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IN by handing me
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A BIG LEMON
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ALL dolled up
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WITH a red ribbon
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AND I got sore
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HANDED it to
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SALESMAN Landrum who
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IS a dandy speaker and
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HE passed it to
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WADDILL another good
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TALKER but he passed
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ON to
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DAVID CARSON BAYLESS
* * *
A FINE speaker
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A FINE preacher and
* * *
A SPLENDID SINGER
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AND like Colonel
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A GOOD SPORT
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AND so the evening
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PASSED pleasantly
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AND I hope that
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EVERYBODY there
* * *
KNEW that I was in
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JEWELRY BUSINESS
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AND will come to
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TO buy from me,
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I thank you.

Patterson.

The charming little mascot of the seniors '23, Miss Phoebe Jane Gardner, entertained them Tuesday evening with a picnic at the Reunion Grounds. The chaperons were, the hostesses father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Gardner; her grandmother, Mrs. Dickson; her aunt, Miss Molly Seale; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hickman. As sponsor for the class Mrs. Ben Smith was there with her son Benjamin and Miss Corinne Desenberg, their teacher for the four years in high school was present. After they had enjoyed themselves for awhile they served the most elaborate picnic.

The table was beautifully decorated with a large basket of sweet peas and ferns for the center piece. They were amused at the table with the question and answers on the place cards. At each place was a bunch of sweet peas. The supper consisted of chicken salad sandwich, fruit salad, potato chips, olives, brown bread, fruit punch, and ice cream.

Clyde Keeling who has been attending the Texas Military College at Terrill, Texas, has returned home for the summer vacation. He made quite a good record on the foot ball and base ball squads.

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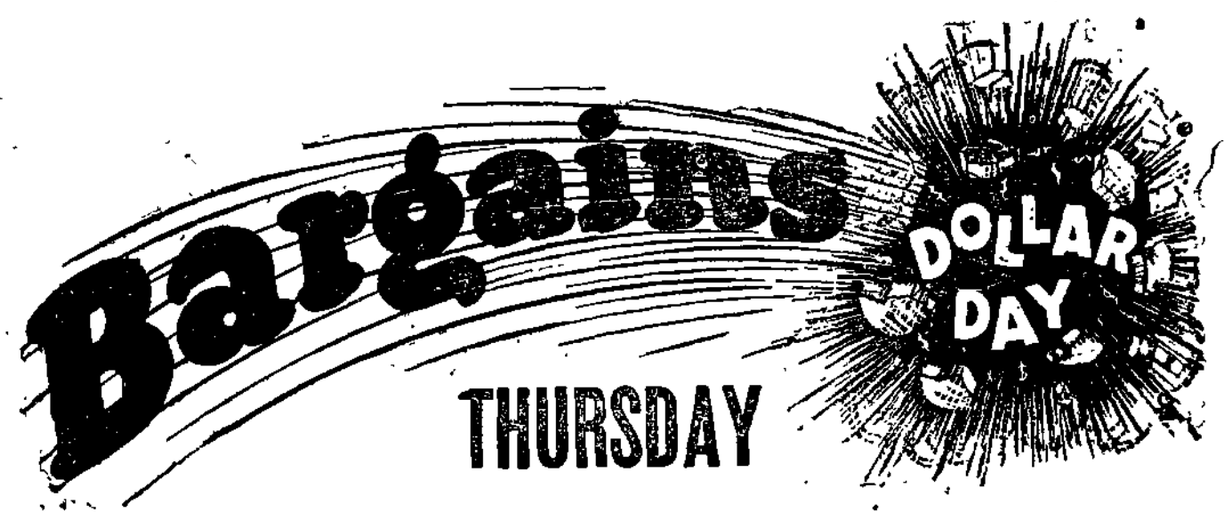

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—$1.00—

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—One lot of Children's Rompers, just the thing for romping children, $1.50 values on sale tomorrow at—
—$1.00—

BOYS' UNIONS
—One lot of boys' summer union suits; made for real boys, good and strong; regularly selling for 65c per suit; tomorrow 2 suits $1

VOILE
—One lot of pretty dress voile; 40 inches wide; an assortment of pretty colors for summer dresses; reduced from 50c per yard and placed on sale for Dollar Day only at 2½ yards $1

PASILEE PERCALE
—Very pretty for making summer dresses; 36 inches wide and in varied colors. This will be reduced from 35c and placed on sale for just one day only at 4 yards for $1

FANCY CREPE
—One lot of fancy plaid and check crepe for underwear; our regular 50c quality; on sale tomorrow 3 yards $1

SILK CREPE
—36-inches wide in light and dark colors our $1.75 grades; very special for one day only at per yard $1

MEN'S UNIONS
—One lot of men's knee length union suits; 64 count naisook; regularly selling 75c per suit. Thursday 2 for $1

BROWN DOMESTIC
—One lot of 36 inch brown domestic; extra quality; 20c value; placed on sale tomorrow at 7 yards $1

SILK PONGEE
—One lot of all silk pongee; very desirable for waist and blouses; regularly selling $1.50 per yard; Dollar Day $1

DRESS GINGHAMS
—One lot of 32 inch fast colored dress ginghams; assorted patterns; regularly selling at 35c and 25c, 5 yards $1

BRASSIERS
—Several dozen ladies brassiers; all sizes selling regularly at 75c tomorrow 2 for $1

TURKISH TOWELS
—One lot of Turkish Towels, 20x20, a good 65c value; very special for Dollar Day at 5 for $1

LADIES TEDDIES
—In good grade of muslin and in colors of white and flesh, $1.50 values, on sale tomorrow at, each—
—$1.00—

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MEN'S SILK HOSE
—In colors of black, brown and white; formerly selling at 75c per pair and a good value at that. Tomorrow we will sell you 2 pair for $1

VAL LACE
—One lot of val lace; a grand assortment of patterns; pieces sufficiently great to insure trimming of whole garments. On sale tomorrow 20 yards $1

SEAL PAX UNIONS
—One lot of men's seal pax union suits; well known to every man; regularly selling everywhere at $1.50 and $1.25 per garment; tomorrow each $1

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—One lot of Ladies muslin and crepe gowns; neatly trimmed with ribbon, rosebuds and lace. Regularly selling at $1.50 and $1.95; Thursday each $1

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—A pretty material for children's wear; in stripes and checks; our regular 35c value; tomorrow only 4 yards for $1

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—One lot of fancy basiste in colors of flesh, pink, light blue and white; very pretty for under wear: Dollar Day 2½ yard for $1

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—One lot of 27 inch dress ginghams in plaids and stripes; a range of pretty colors; regularly selling at 25c per yard; tomorrow 6 yards $1

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WALTER S. JOSEPHSON AT SUCCESSFUL TEST

A ten-year-old girl turned a small valve and lifted into the air a 11,500-pound truck in a second's time before the Long Island City, N. Y., Courthouse, recently.

It was the first public demonstration of a new device for storing and releasing portable power. An old force in nature had been harnessed in a new way to adapt it to scores of uses for everybody. It was said to be probably the first time in history that so great a volume of immediately available stored energy had been bottled up as a convenient public utility.

A famous mechanical engineer, Walter S. Josephson of New York, working day and night for the last two years, had made the miracles possible.

The small steel bottle the little girl held in her hand contained a potential lifting power of 30,000 pounds.

After the truck had been lifted the crowd saw seven-year-old Howard Josephson lift a heavy touring car. Connecting the steel bottle with a tube he inflated a tire from flat in three seconds, and a little later used the contents of the steel bottle to chill and carbonate water in a single operation.

The demonstrations, it was said, were but the prelude to the almost innumerable uses to which it is expected the stored power will be put. If a man is pinioned under a street car, it was stated, the car can be as readily lifted as the truck, by a policeman, motorman or car conductor at almost a moment's notice, extricating the victim.

"Our experiments today were only preliminary," said Mr. Josephson, later in his mechanical laboratory at Hunter's Point. "We have been able to bottle the power of a highly expansible liquid in a small steel flask that a man can carry about in his pocket wherever he goes, without connection with a main source of power. And he can use the power whenever he wants and as much or as little of it as he desires. He can carry it to the top of the mountain or to the heart of a desert and use it as readily as in workshop or foundry. He can store it away for several years if need be and draw on it when needed.

"We are developing our power containers with a view to their refrigerative possibilities. We have a soda water device to chill and carbonate water in the home and expect it will be possible to make soda water for less than one cent a glass in the home. We have been asked to make experiments for the refrigeration of fruit cars and expect shortly to have a car at our disposal. We feel that the power feature of our devices will find a ready market where immediate lifting power is wanted at a moment's notice."

Col. R. C. Simmons, well known around Mexia, in the early days of the oil boom and who handles quite a number of valuable leases and organized the Dureloc Oil Company among the colored investors, is now in Luling, where he has collected quite a lot of valuable leases and royalty deals, for Mexia and Houston investors. Mr. Simmons was a well known figure around Mexia for a few years and was always an active worker in Lodge and Church work among the colored people here. His many friends wish him success in his new field.

To prevent a Cold, take 666.

L. C. Moore returned from Sayre, Okla., where he has been on oil business.

F. W. Welch is attending the Automobile Dealers Association in Corpus Christi.

R. L. Bankston motored over to Mineral Wells last Sunday.

Miss Lillian Rushing spent last Sunday in Waxahachie.

J. F. Denning motored over to Waco today on a business mission.

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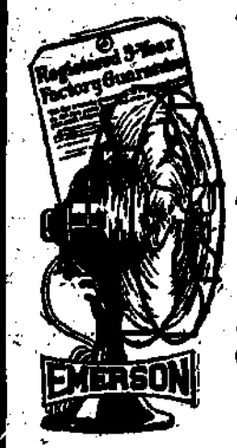

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Charles Pe... Tindley, well known oil operator in Mexia, has returned from a trip to Luling where he, with J. W. Killough have secured valuable acreage in the producing area in the Luling field. Mr. Tindley is here to-day in conference with maters pertaining to the finishing of the Moly well at Tehuacana and also making a deal with M. Patridge, the well known pipe line man, to go to Luling and give them their first and much needed pipe line, extending from the field to loading racks at the railroad. Luling today is practically in the same fix that Mexia was before the first pipe line was laid to the loading racks here. And this will stimulate the taking of production from the Luling field. While in Luling Mr. Tindley was in conference with Mr. Edgar Davis, discover of the field and head of the United North and South Oil Company, who controls extensive acreage in the main fields of this new oil producing territory.

Mrs. R. J. Ellington left today for Houston to visit her daughter, Mrs. Raleigh DeLong, during the illness of her little grand son.

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A Woman's Story—and the story of a woman whom the fiery tongues of scandal had scared and her fight to regain that fragile but priceless possession—Reputation. With the scenes laid in aristocratic ancestral halls and the open spaces of the great snow county, the drama moves with tremendous power and surging emotions.

"You have let them slander me," she cried in terror. "You have made my reputation, my honor, stepping stones to your success and ambition—but I will live to see you suffer the same humiliation." —so alone she faced a woman's battle with the world!

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Johnny Kilbane Favorite, 7 to 5.

NEW YORK, May 30.—Johnny Kilbane is ruling a 7 to 5 favorite to retain his featherweight championship when he meets Eugene Criqui at the Polo Grounds next Saturday afternoon.

Boxing experts who have looked over the French holder of the European championship all admit that he is a nice young fellow, that he has a most extraordinary good looking wife, and that the war cost him a lot. But so far as his chance with the venerable champ is concerned, the verdict is that Kilbane is too good with his right hand. And that he knows too much.

Kilbane has trained very carefuly and a general feeling among the experts that he should win has not made him look too lightly upon his challenger. Kilbane knows too much for that.

The champ will work under one handicap unless he has picked up some doughboy French since he signed up for the Criqui fight. Johnny has worked himself out of several tight places with language, and the only thing that Criqui knows of John's language is "dollars." The verbal reference to currency will not razz the Frenchman.

Criqui is being regarded in more or less of a sympathetic light. The Frenchman is a war hero, much more of a hero than Carpentier. He lost a part of his jaw at Verdun and he came back to the ring with a piece of a rib grafted into his cheek.

He claims that the operation gave him an iron jaw, and that it severed the connection of the nerves between the "button" and the brain. Kilbane remarked rather facetiously that if a shrapnel on the jaw couldn't stop Criqui, he had his doubts about anyone's right hand doing the trick, and some of the short and betters are fighting the same way.

BUGHOUSE FABLES

ITS TWINS
WHAT A DISAPPONTMENT! I HAD HOPES IT WOULD BE TRIPLETS.
SNIFF SNIFF
THANX TO JERRY HITCHCOCK.
I AINT BOTHERED
DEBEC
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CHAMPION ICE SKATERS

That ice skating in Southern California is not a lost art was recently evidenced when Allen Holubar, producer-director of a motion picture story based on life in Northeastern Canada issued a call for one hundred professional ice skaters. Over three hundred persons from Los Angeles and surrounding districts, ranging in ages from eight to sixty years, answered the advertisements which were printed in local newspapers.

Included in the applicants who would appear in "Slander the Woman," the Allen Holubar production which features Dorothy Phillips in the stellar role, were several skaters of international reputation and fully a score who had appeared in vaudeville or revues at various times. Of this number were John Nilsson, of Minneapolis, four times winner of the world's championship medal for fancy rink skating, and S. L. Smith, former headliner of a large Eastern vaudeville circuit. The former skater annexed the Skater's Canada issued a call for one hundred tive year from 1897 to 1900 inclusive.

"Slander the Woman" is now being exhibited at the National Theatre. The story has to do with social life in Canada where ice skating is the favorite outdoor sport. Inasmuch as there are no frozen lakes or outdoor rinks within several hundred miles of Los Angeles, and, as a scene lighted by artificial light is usually superior to natural illumination, Producer Holubar caused a mammoth ice rink to be constructed on Stage 2 at the United Studios, Hollywood, Cal., where the film was made.

Dorothy Phillips, star of the production, is an expert skater, having acquired a knowledge of the sport while wintering in the dominion a few years ago. In "Slander the Woman" she demonstrates her ability on the ice in a convincing manner. She is ably supported in her new picture by Lewis Dayton, noted English actor, and a capable cast.

ICE SKATES PLENTIFUL IN .....

Although Los Angeles is a city that knows no snows, Allen Holubar, director of "Slander the Woman," starring Dorothy Phillips, the feature now being shown at the National Theatre, had no trouble in securing all the ice skaters he desired when he filmed the big skating scenes in the production.

Over one hundred men, women and children answered the call issued by Holubar for professional ice skaters to appear in the picture. And all were given a trial on the ice at the United Studios, where a large indoor rink had been contructed exclusively for the production. Strange to say, fully eighty per cent of the applicants were accomplished performers on the ice and these were immediately given parts in "Slander the Woman."

BOSTON, Mass., May 30.—Bobby Quinn, vice president and business manager of the St. Louis Browns, will become the president and general manager of the Red Sox when the club changes hands, it is reported here.

PARIS, May 30.—Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen is still suffering from the breakdown that followed her play in the hard court finals Sunday, but may be able to play in the singles at Wimbledon.

NEW YORK, May 30.—Andrew Andriola, truck driver, was awarded an Art Scholarship by the Art League, which is headed by Charles Dana Gibson.

HAMMONTON, N. J., May 30.—A man can't run an automobile and pet a woman at the same time, Justice Mischlich said as he fined William Sciovene $14 for one-handed driving.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 30.—Mrs. C. E. Brewster, called frantically for police when she found her 3 year old daughter Frances, eating the neighbor's dynamite. Police said the child was chewing on the end of a half pound stick when they arrived.

NEW YORK May 30.—"Prominent business men" of Rockaway announced they would build an arena to seat 100,000 and give Dempsey $350,000 to fight Harry Wills there this fall.

House Is Named Manager Indians

Waco, May 29.—H. H. House, coach of the Texas Aggies baseball team during the season just closed and pitcher of the Waco club, has been named as permanent manager of the Waco Indians to fill the vacancy caused by the release of Ray Falk, according to announcement made by President Harry Dupuy of the Indians Saturday night. House has been signed by the Indians since early spring, but reported at the close of the collegiate baseball season. He is a splendid coach and should be a great help to the Indians along that line. Further than that, he has the ability to handle men and is more than popular with Waco fans. He takes over the reins of management, beginning last Sunday. President Dupuy also indicated that House will also take his regular turn on the mound.

The club is hitting the ball at a fast clip and is fielding in ship-shape. With the new life House is capable of injecting into the club, things should move upward so far as the Waco team is concerned. Jack Shires, temporary manager, remains with the club as first backer. He is a valuable player and will doubtless be House's right-hand man.

The men of the First Christian church have organized a club called the Fellowship club. They will meet about twice every two months after business hours and come straight to the parlor of the church where they will be served a good supper, each plate 35c. After supper they will have a social hour before gong into Prayer Meeting. Everyone is invited.

The ex-kaiser is reported to have been paid $200,000 for his autobiography, while Hindenburg and Ludendorff each profited by $50,000 or $60,000 by their writings on the war.

Due to the fall in the value of the mark cash registers are now useless in Germany.

Ten Offenders Past Two Days

Deputy sheriffs working in Mexia territory picked up ten offenders during Monday and Tuesday as follows:

Disturbing the peace 1.
Manufacturing liquor 2.
Vags 2.
Operating punch board 2
Assault and battery 2.
Investigation 1.

Chief Albert Mace Resigned Office

Albert Mace, chief of police for the past year, and who tendered his resignation some time ago, severed his connection with the city government last Saturday night, and assumed his duties as a peace officer for the Humphreys company with headquarters at the Reunion grounds.

City Manager Geo. W. Perkins is acting chief until the City Commission makes a regular appointment.

A halibut taken in Alaska in 1906 weighed 365 pounds.

Called Meeting Masonic Lodge

Springfiled Lodge No. 74, A. F. & A. M. tonight at 8 o'clock for work in the Masters degree. Visitors are always welcome.—M. B. Webb, W. M.

Admiral Roussin, formerly chief of the general staff of the imperial Russian navy, is employed as a copying clerk in Paris at a wage of a few dollars a week.

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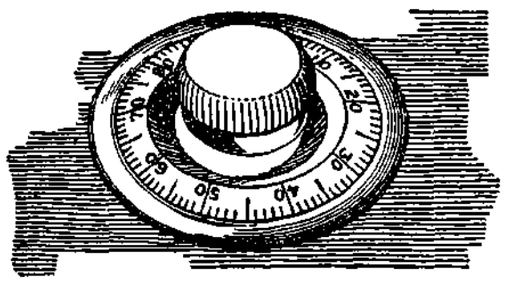

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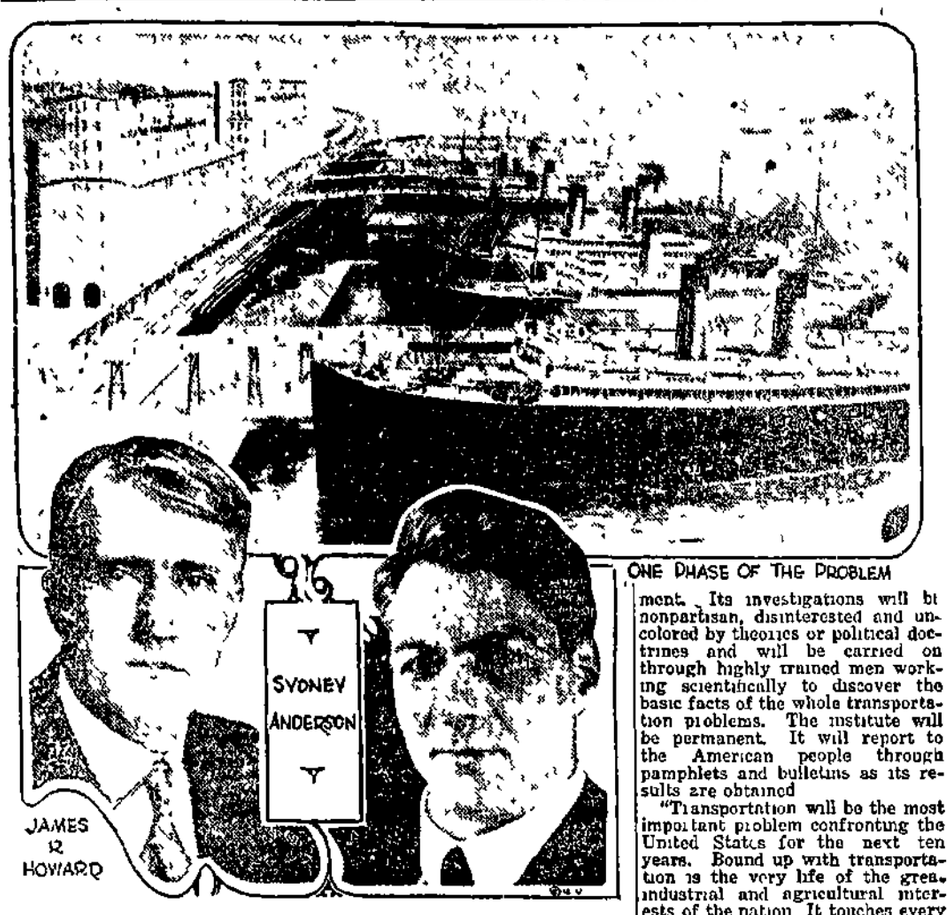

ONE PHASE OF THE PROBLEM

CHICAGO —World-wide investigation of all phases of transportation will be launched by the National Transportation Institute recently incorporated here for the benefit of the industrial and agricultural interests of the United States James R Howard of Iowa, formerly president of the American Farm Bureau Federation and one of the organizers of the farm bloc in Congress is president of the institute Edward Clark, former chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission, is chairman of the Research Bureau and Congressman Sydney Anderson of Minnesota, vice-chairman.

The institute is the outgrowth of the recommendations of the Agricultural Conference called by President Harding last year and of Congressman Anderson's joint commission on agricultural inquiry.

"The institute," said President Howard, "will investigate traffic on railroads, lakes, inland waterways, highways and ocean in the United States and in foreign nations It has no connection with e government. Its investigations will be nonpartisan, disinterested and uncolored by theories or political doctrines and will be carried on through highly trained men working scientifically to discover the basic facts of the whole transportation problems. The institute will be permanent. It will report to the American people through pamphlets and bulletins as its results are obtained

"Transportation will be the most important problem confronting the United States for the next ten years. Bound up with transportation is the very life of the great industrial and agricultural interests of the nation It touches every home in its direct bearing on the cost of living It affects the prosperity of lumbering, mining, manufacturing, grain and livestock interests and every business that requires transportation to market its commodities There are no reliable statistics on transportation as a whole. The National Transportation Institute will remedy this defect. Its survey will be the greatest investigation of transportation ever undertaken and its results will be vital to the American nation."

W. B. Kendrick Lets Contract Fine Home

W. B. Kendrick has let the contract for his new home to be erected at the corner of Titus and Canton streets. The building will be two stories, brick veneer and will cost about $22,000. M. Bryant has the contract and the plans were drawn by J. F. Denning.

Thus, there seems to be no let up in Mexia's substantial building-program.

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New hosiery worn at the theatre shows a front panel of one color set into a black stocking with a zigzag line where the two colors join.

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In order to find out if the "dry" laws mean anything, Mrs. Samuel Frank, Rutland (Vt.) clubwoman, has obtained a commission as justice of the peace.

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Miss Bessie Friedman of Seattle Wash, made a new record for speedy typewriting when she wrote 132 words a minute, for a full half hour, without an error.

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Mrs G. A Walters visited in Corsicana Sunday, accompanied by her little daughter, Bess They visited Mrs Walters' sister, Mrs Inabnit of that city.

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Mr Jesse Dollarhide left for Denison where he will attend to business.

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Mr and Mrs Earl Smith were Corsicana visitors Sunday

A A Guest of Corsicana was in the city Monday.

Dorothy Phillips in "Slander the Woman"

National Theatre Today

Though she is past 84 years of age, Mrs. Rebecca Wood has just madefinal proof on her 640 acres of grazing land near Buford, Wyo.

Mrs. C. J Ott, first woman ever to preside over the Ohio house of representatives, was a Red Cross canteen worker during the world war.

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Mexia Twenty Years Ago

Compiled by N P Houx
From Files of Mexia Evening News of May 30 1903

C T Sterling and family and Mac Chisholm and family spent Sunday at Love Springs

W B Kendrick returned from a visit to Thornton Sunday accompanied by Mr Paul Weaver who will spend some time visiting here

Z T Morton of Personville had the misfortune to lose a fine mule last night, in the wagon yard, from colic

Dr Cook and W. D Pittman have received a lot of black bass from the government fish hatchery at San Marcos with which to stock their fish tanks

Mr Jesse Palmer has returned to Thornton after a few days visit with Mrs W. B. Kendrick

Mexia and Calvert played a fine game of ball resulting in a victory for Mexia—11 4

The school board elected Prof. N R Crozier as superintendent, J W Reid as principal, Miss Mattie Watson assistant principal and among the other teachers, Miss Georgie Watson, M Carrie Everett, Mrs Bell Ingram, Miss Theckla Clark, and Miss Bettie Burson

The grand jury list contains the names of Leo Dorsett, Ed Allen, Z T Morton, J K. Calloway, and Chas. Roberts, all still living in the county.

The district court petit jury contains these Mexia men still living here Reuban Parker, V R Mean Luther Cox, Richard Kersee, M. W Shumate, and T W Brodnax

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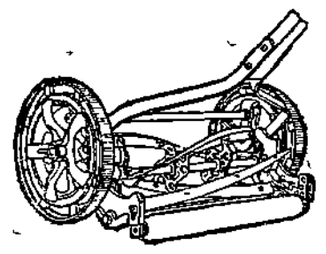

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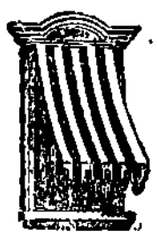

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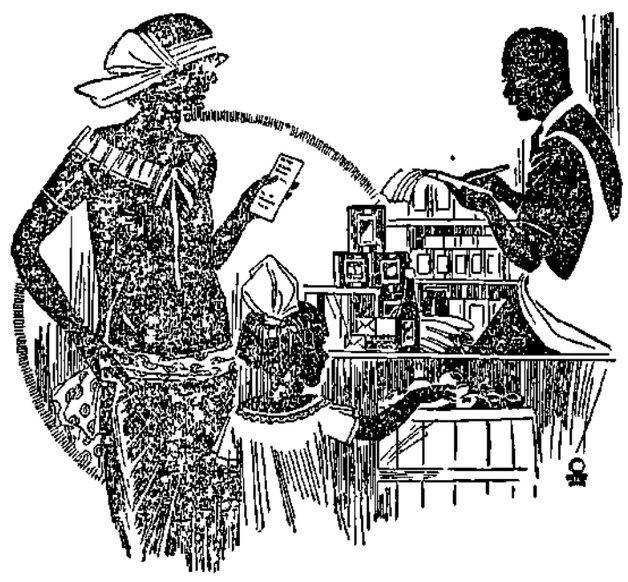

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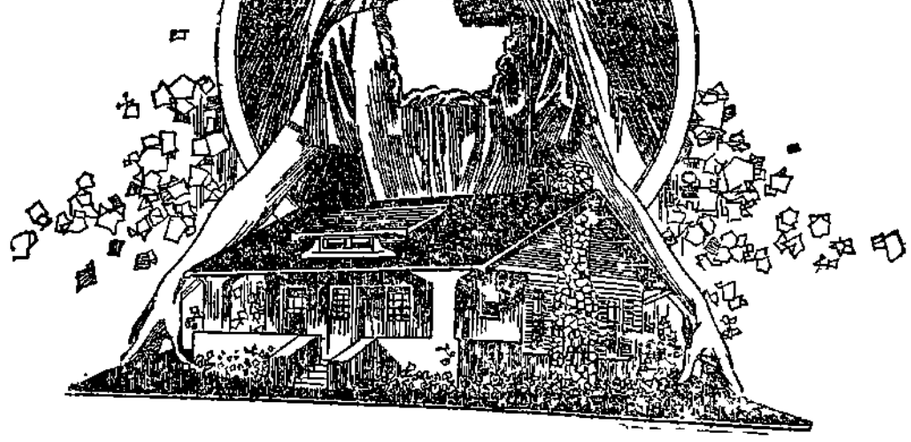

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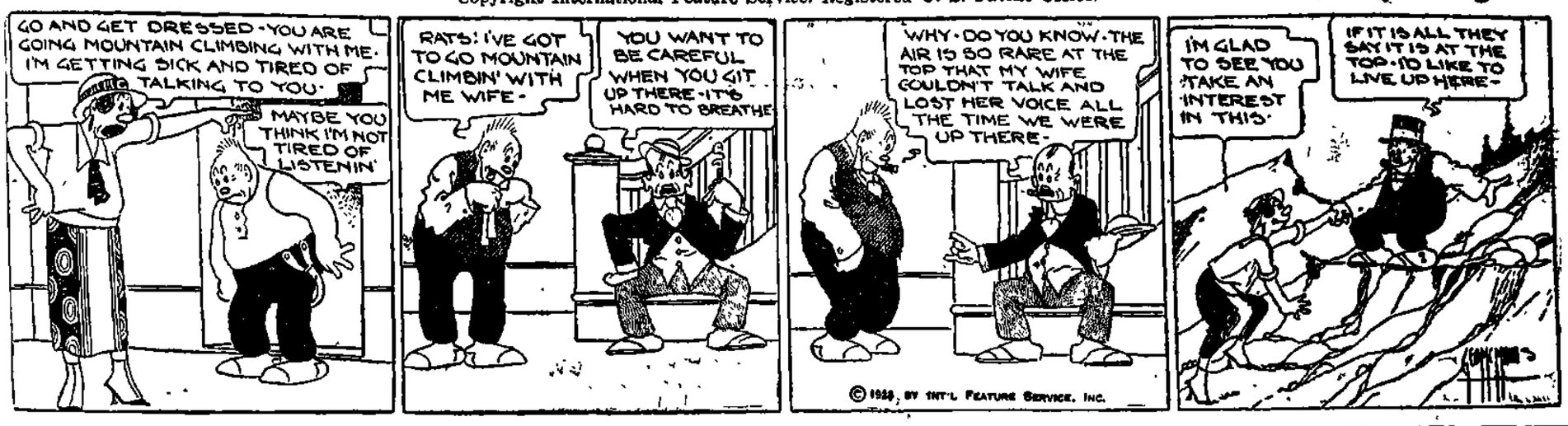
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Many comments of praise have been heard for the management of the Ardmore Hotel on South McKinney stret for the work done in front of the two houses operating under that name. The space between the sidewalk and curbing has been set out in lovely flowers of varied bright hues. These are well kept with close and constant attention A pretty lattice work, on which vines are soon to climb, has also been set up in front of the door, which is useful as well as ornamental. It keeps dust out of the house and lends a most attractive appearance to the place The management is being commended most generously and generally for this interest in a better Mexia. Mayor Ernest Watson is among those who have made special comment regarding this good work. Let's continue the good work all over town.

Mrs. and Mrs. John Phillips are having a new porch and other improvements added to their home on North Benham street. They have worked very effectively in recent weeks in beautifying the place, all about the place and extending to the curb. Deep holes were dug in the space between the sidewalk and curbing and fertile dirt filled in and then flowers have been planted in these spots which are located at regular intervals, making one of the most attractive fronts in Mexia.

NO. 535.
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To the Sheriff or any constable of Limestone County—Greeting:

W. D. Pittman, Executor of the estate of Mrs. Emma Pittman, deceased, having filed in our county court his final account of the condition of the estate of said Mrs. Emma Pittman, deceased together with an application to be discharged from said Administration.

You are hereby commanded, that by publication of this writ for twenty days in a newspaper regularly published in the county of Limestone, you give notice to all persons interested in the account for final settlement of said estate, to file their objections thereto if any they have, on or before the June term A. D. 1923, of said county court, commencing and to be holden at the court house of said county, in the city of Groesbeck, on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1923, when said account and application will be considered by the court.

Witness, J. L. Day, clerk of the county court of Limestone county.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at my office in the city of Groesbeck, this 9th day of May, A. D. 1923.

J. L. DAY
Clerk County Court Limestone County, Texas.
By Anna Burney, Deputy.
A true copy I certify.
WHIT POPEJOY,
Sheriff Limestone County.
10d20t

CO-OPERATIVE FARM MARKETING NOTES

Department of Agriculture Plans to Study Scientific Distribution Equally With Production.

More attention must be given in the future to the economics of agriculture and to better marketing methods, without lessening efforts to promote efficient production, it is declared by Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, in a contribution to the Banker-Farmer, the bulletin of the American Bankers Association Agricultural Commission. Under the direction of H. Otis, the commission is giving special attention to co-operative farm marketing.

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"When land was advancing rapidly in value the farmer could afford to take some of his profit in the increased value of his land," says Secretary Wallace. "We are past the period of advancing land values, and, if agriculture is to be maintained, it must be on a basis which will yield a fair profit one year with another. So I have been studying the department with a view to strengthening our economic work."

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"We have gotten into the habit of looking upon agricultural production as a sacred obligation, and so it is in one sense, but it is no more sacred or binding than the obligation to market crops without waste. If we do not do that we might as well not produce them," says Mr. Wallace.

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He adds: "It is the purpose of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics to inquire into everything which affects marketing and price, with the thought that we must serve the agriculture of the nation as thoroughly on the economic side as we have served it in the past on the productive side. As to working our way out of the depression, the first responsibility rests upon the individual farmer. If he is to get help he must help himself, both as an individual and by joining with other individuals in co-operative efforts. The Government is under obligation to clear away any obstacles which do not give to the farmers, individually and collectively, a fair chance to help themselves. The farmer is entitled to exactly the same rights and the same opportunities that are enjoyed by other citizens He is entitled to a square deal."

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"It is not the obligation of the Government to give the farmer any privileges not given to others," Mr. Wallace continues. "If I understand the minds of the farmers of the United States, they are not asking for special privileges. All they are asking is that they may be assured of equal opportunities, of open and competitive markets, and the right to organize and market their products collectively, and to have the same access to the nation's money pool as other people have. Farmers can meet together, pass resolutions, make speeches, and go home feeling better for a time; but this sort of thing alone will not get them very far. The time has come when the farmers must themselves organize agriculture in a thoroughly businesslike way; adjust their production to the needs of consumption; stabilize their products and market them efficiently; study conditions agriculturally and industrially which influence the demand for and consumption of their crops; get a better understanding of the administration of the credit machinery; and employ trained men to do for them what they can not do for themselves."

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That is to say, in substance, that agriculture must be put on a par in efficiency of method with other Big Business.

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It has been pointed out by the United States Department of Agriculture that insufficient business and poor management are the outstanding reasons for the failure of many farmers' co-operative associations. Lack of capital, liberal extension of credit and dishonest management are the minor causes for the failure of 243 farmers' buying and selling associations since 1913. At the same time it was learned that out of 70 co-operative creameries, their average length of existence was a little over seven and one-half years.

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The State Bank Division of the American Bankers Association is now compiling facts of successful co-operatives of all kinds and in all parts of the country, with the idea of building up a body of sound method and experience to serve as a trustworthy guide in the further development of the co-operative farm marketing movement.

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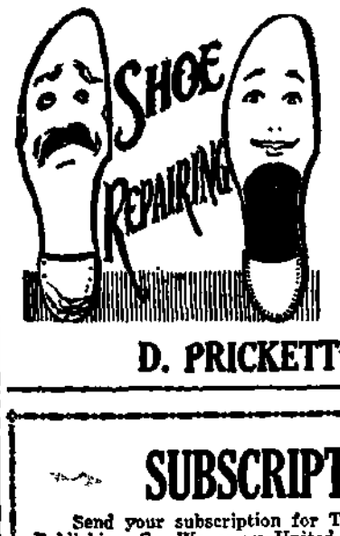

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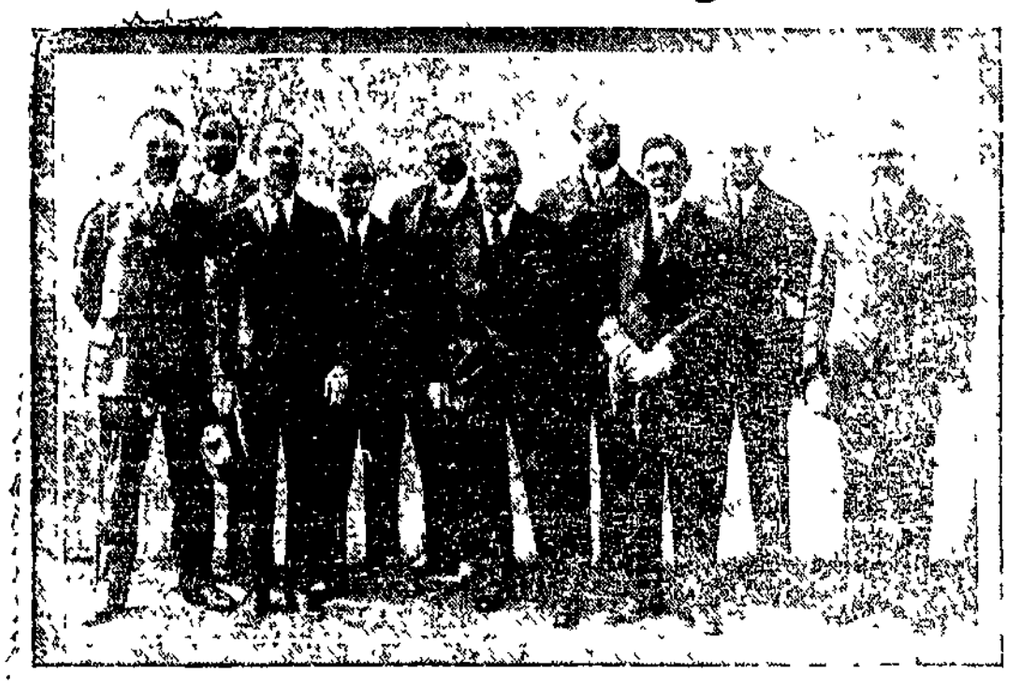

Spokesmen for mine owners who are cooperating with the United States Coal Commission Left to right: Col. Henry L. Stimson and Goldthwaite H. Dorr, New York, counsel for the operators; A. M. Ogle, Terre Haute, President, National Coal Association; P. H. Penna, Terre Haute, President, Indiana Coal Operators Association; J. G. Bradley, Dundon, West Virginia, President West Virginia Coal Association, John C. Brydon, Somerset, Pa., Chairman, Bituminous Operators' Special Committee; Tracy W. Gwinn, Pittsburgh, member Special Committee, H. W. Little, Evansville, Ind., Secretary, Special Committee; I. W. Lukins, Kansas City, member of committee, and Allan H. Wiett, Washington, statistician.

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The Bituminous Operators' Special Committee formed to cooperate with the United States Coal Commission and as a liaison between the industry and the public, has outlined the ills of the coal industry as viewed by the operators. The committee represents about 60% of the commercial tonnage of bituminous coal and is the most broadly representative body ever authorized to speak for any considerable portion of the industry, which is highly competitive and comprises 9,000 independent operators.

John C. Brydon, of Somerset, Pa., Chairman of the Special Committee, described in his committee's first report the following four major obstacles to satisfactory bituminous coal mining from the standpoint of the public and the industry:

1. Instability of labor conditions, due to the monopolistic power and methods of the United Mine Workers of America, with the following consequent handicaps to the industry:
   (a) Inability of mine owners to lay plans even a year ahead with any certainty of regular operation.
   (b) Inability on the part of the industry to make maximum use through steady shipments of the transportation facilities of the country.
   (c) High costs of mining, resulting in high prices, due to constantly interrupted and therefore uneconomic operations and to property losses through violence.
   (d) Exorbitant labor costs, causing prices which force other working people in effect to exchange from two to four days' labor for one day of mining labor when they buy coal.
   (e) Continual threats of even higher wage demands, to be enforced by bludgeoning and violence.

2. Transportation difficulties. These constitute an obvious and fundamental deterrent to satisfactory supply and price of coal. Problems of car shortage and suggestions for improving the present system of car distribution are being studied.

3. Seasonal demand. A determined and thorough effort by the industry to encourage and teach the storage of coal is certain to be one of the committee's recommendations.

4. Speculation. Out of the evils listed above grows destructive opportunity for the industry's bitterest enemies, the speculators who, and those mines which, the while work, supply is normal and starve for "full mines" when demand is high and prices high. The great body of constructive business citizens who constitute the bulk of the bituminous mining industry are as desirous as the public itself to so stabilize the industry as to stamp out the speculator.

Ector Pitches Gushers To Victory Over Rangers

The heavy hitting of Ector featured the Gushers' victory over the Rangers yesterday. Ector pitched for the Gushers and held the Rangers to three hits, while the Gushers pounded out 13 hits. However, the Rangers did the scoring in the first inning, when Austin clouted Ector for a home run with the score tied. Ector took the lead in the second round and then did not allow another run until the fourth, when two singles scored one home. With the score standing 6 to 0 in favor of the Gushers, Austin rallied and ran in four scores in the eighth. The visitors pushed the game with a couple in the ninth frame, while the Rangers didn't raise their score.

Box Score

MEXIA—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Zeppert, ss	4	0	0	3	2	0
Royster, 1b	4	1	2	6	1	1
Goedy, 2b	2	1	0	3	1	0
Butler, 3b	1	1	1	8	2	0
Bechtol, lf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Bryan, cf	4	0	1	7	0	0
Howell, rf	3	1	0	3	0	0
Whitney, c	4	2	1	0	2	0
Stovall, p	4	1	1	0	1	1
	33	7	7	27	9	2

AUSTIN—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Falk, 2b	5	1	2	3	4	3
Clements, ss	1	0	0	1	0	0
Chaney, 3b	3	0	1	2	1	0
Holloway, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Lowrance, rf	1	0	1	2	0	0
Autry, c	4	0	1	9	2	0
Ector, 1b	3	1	0	5	0	0
Whitworth, lf	1	1	1	3	0	0
Brooks, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Flaherty, p	2	1	1	0	0	0
	23	4	7	27	7	3

Score by innings.

Mexia	100 020 022—7
Austin	000 000 010—1

Home runs: Flaherty, Falk. Three base hit: Whitworth. Two base hits: Bryan, Butler, Bechtol. Bases on balls: Flaherty 6, Stovall 3. Struck out: Flaherty 5, Brooks 1.

CORSICANA 8; SHERMAN 2

CORSICAN, May 30—Plenty of hits featured Corsicana's 8 to 2 victory over Sherman yesterday.

SHERMAN	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Lewis, 3b	4	1	1	1	2	0
Meanor, 2b	4	0	0	2	3	0
Fuerson, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Pyle, lf	4	1	2	1	0	0
McIver, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Richburg, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
McKay, 1b	4	0	1	11	0	1
Bupp, ss	4	0	0	2	6	1
Scheffer, c	4	0	0	1	0	0
Sewell, p	3	0	0	1	1	0

CORSICANA	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Clopp, cf	5	1	1	0	0	0
Malmquist, 2b	3	3	2	3	1	1
Sengotta, lf	5	0	2	3	0	0
Grubb, 3b	4	2	1	2	4	0
Speegle, 1b	4	1	3	11	0	0
Sain, ss	4	1	3	2	3	0
Lumly, rf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Stamper, c	1	0	0	3	0	0
Score by innings						R
Cantrell, p	1	0	0	1	4	0
	36	8	12	27	12	1

Sherman	010 001 000—2
Corsicana	111 012 00x—8

Two base hit: Clopp. Bases on balls: Off Cantrell 3, Sewell 2. Hit by pitcher: Malmquist.

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Where They Play Today

Marlin at Austin.
Sherman at Corsicana.
Mexia at Waco.

Results Yesterday

Waco 8, Marlin 0.
Sherman 2, Corsicana 8.
Austin 1, Mexia 7.

Standing of Clubs

TEAM—	P	W	L	Pct
Mexia	39	26	13	667
Sherman	39	21	18	538
Corsicana	39	21	18	538
Waco	40	20	20	500
Marlin	41	19	22	463
Austin	40	12	28	300

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Homers by Vache and Wano helped the Steers defeat the Buffs, 7 to 1. Pell of Houston also hit a four-sacker.

The Bears hit Foreman's offerings to all corners of the lot and won from the Gassers, 8 to 1.

The Panthers won their eighth straight game by defeating the Beaumont Exporters, 8 to 2.

Meme won his fifth straight when the Spudders defeated the Senators, 9 to 5.

BOSTON, Mass., May 30.—Bobby Quinn, vice president and business manager of the St. Louis Browns, will become the president and general manager of the Red Sox when the club changes hands, it is reported here.

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NEW YORK, May 30.—Andrew Andriola, truck driver, was awarded an Art Scholarship by the Art League, which is headed by Charles Dana Gibson.

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HAMMONTON, N. J., May 30.—A man can't run an automobile and pet a woman at the same time, Justice Mischlich said as he fined William Sciovene $14 for one-handed driving.

S. M. Ball was in Corsicana Monday.

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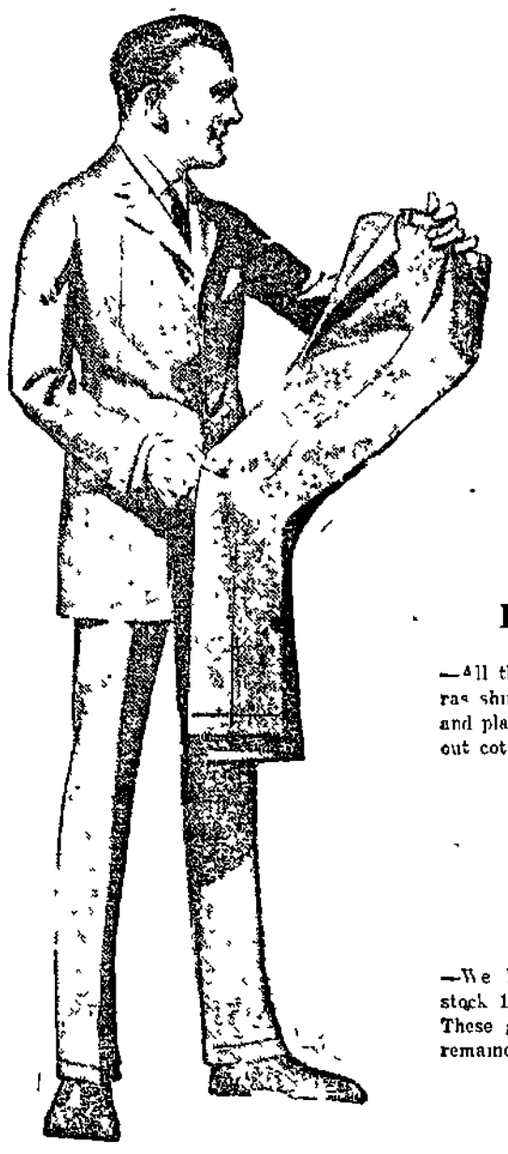

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MILLER SPECIAL LEADS IN MOTOR RACES

Humphreys Pure Makes Survey For Pipe Line To Powell

SETTING CASING AT MOODY TEST WEST OF MEXIA

WORK OF COMPLETION BEGINS IN EARNEST AND WITH CAUTION

WELL IS WATCHED

Test Being Made by Goose Creek and Houston Oil Operators—Important to Mexia

Work was finished yesterday in the setting of the final casing of the Moody well at Tehuacana, and from now on the work of completion will be carried along in a careful manner to avoid any trouble that might happen in hasty work.

It has been fifteen months since this test was started and was drilled for the first 2200 feet with a Rotary outfit and has been brought down to its present level with standard tools.

There have been very many interesting formations found in this well and at one time in the opinion of J. B. Patty, who is lease superintendent, a producer of some kind could have been made at a shallow depth around 1800 feet, however this was passed up.

Tehuacana and the hills surrounding the town for years has been the subject of great discussion among oil men and geologists, over 40 years ago an eminent geologist connected with the Government worked out the structure around Tehuacana hills. At this early time he predicted that at some future time an oil field would be opened up there, and one of great magntude. Since then several geologists have spent a great deal of time in the territory where the Moody well is now drilling. Among whom Dr. F. H. Whitney, of the Texas State University, considered an authority on Texas Geology, Dr. Tucker of Dallas and others have made surveys. In most every instance they have been of the opinion that Tehuacana hills and the adjacent territory presented wonderful possibilities.

The eyes of the oil operators and the scouts for the large companies have been centered on this development during the past few weeks on account of the unusual showing of real live oil and lots of gas. Yesterday when the casing was being set and the mud agitated considerable gas and oil was shown.

Driller Fred Hogue, is supervising the work and is proceeding carefully with the work. He is being assisted by "Doc" Fairfield, well known driller who drilled the first Berthelson gusher in the main Mexia field for the Humphreys oil company. They also have skilled assistants.

The coming in of the Moody well will mean more to the business interests of Mexia and Tehuacana and will mean more than anything that has happened along the lines of development since the boom days of Mexia.

The well is being drilled and financed by the Goose Creek-Mexia Oil company composed of Goose-Creek and Houston oil men. This development was started by Charles P. Tindley and Fred H. Butcher, who control valuable acreage surrounded the well. Judge Lee P. Pierson and Carl Anderson and Horton of the Uvalde Paving Company with some friends are also heavyily interested.

The J. K. Hughes Developing Company's McKie gusher is steadily maintaining its reputation as a wonderful well. Reports today are that it is making as high as 7,000 barrels of pure pipe line oil and the lowest estimates heard expressed by any oil men is between four and five thousand barrels. The well came in three weeks ago today and whether making 4,000 or 7,000 barrels daily, the record established and the continued heavy production class it as one of the most valuable oil producing properties ever brought in in Texas.

The first day's flow of the J. L. Thompson Oil Corporation's Springfield 1 is proving another subject of discussion among the oil fraternity. Eestimates have been heard expressed in leading oil companies offices here today that the Magnolia Company will likely secure 65,000 barrels of crude product out of the earthen storage reservoirs about the well in which the production gushed the first thirty hours of its life.

Daily more derricks are rising in the Powell field. About sixty are already up and these will be increased daily until Powell will have a Golden Lane more than a mile in length in a very short while.

Much activity is noted at Mildred, the new station on the T. & B. V. Oil men here are urging that efforts be made to secure daily train each way from here to Mildred and Corsicana over that line. This will enable those going to Powell to get there in the shortest possible time, they say, the distance to Mildred being just about the same as the overland distance to Corsicana and when reaching the new station, the field is only a short distance away. It is likely that efforts to secure this morning and evering train will be made at once.

Mexia is being visited daily by hundreds who have been attracted to the section because of the late J. L. Thompson Oil Corporation's Springfield. It is known to the world that practically every producing well in the Powell field is owned by a Mexia born and Mexia operating oil company whose headquarters are maintained here. The other companies upon whom future development at Powell depends also operate in the Mexia field which extends southwest many miles. This retains Mexia as the center of activities and the daylight train to serve both pools is being strongly urged.

It is likely also that the H. & T. C. will also put on service from Corsicana here in the late afternoon.

At Currie and Wortham things are expected to happen in a few days. At least two wells, those being drilled by the Texas company are looked for in a few days and the belief is prevalent that the new producers will be in the thousands of barrels daily class.

Many new derricks are up in that sector.

The Humphreys Pure Pipe Line Company today is surveying for a line into Powell. The Prairie Company will complete its line in about two weeks. Already seven miles have been laid.

The Humphreys Oil company is building a concrete bridge across Chambers Creek between Powell and Mildred which will give Mildred a splendid gravel road to the field. This bridge is being built by the Humphreys Oil company and is considered a splendid gift to Navarro county.

Southwest of Mexia at the Brown test of the Humphreys Oil Company casing is being set today at 3095 or 3100 feet.

Work of erecting steel storage tanks continues at the Thompson-Springfield well today while the hole remains bridged, and the flow shut in.

Eleven 1,000 barrel tanks are being put up to catch and gauge the flow. Completion of pipe lines of the Magnolia Petroleum Company, the Humble, the Texas and the Prairie companies is being rushed.

A number of derrick patterns for use in drilling offsets to the new well have been unloaded, and workmen are rushing their completion. The Thompson Company has started an offset to the west of the well. The Sun Oil Company has made three offset locations on its lease adjoining on the east.

No effort will be made to unbridge the well until tankage is ready and necessary facilities installed for keeping the well under control and taking care of the oil. Practically four-fifths of the five-acre lease is covered in a veritable sea of oil. Dykes have been thrown up and the production is conserved. Pumps are installed for lifting this overflow into the tanks. On the four covered acres the oil tanks on an average of two feet deep. This represents the flow of the well during the thirty hours of its flow. A Christmas tree valve control is being installed. This consists of an extra heavy six and five-eighth cross pipe with heavy gate valve with a double six-inch flow pipe extending to the tanks.

Four inch fittings which were on the well failed to hold. The pressure of the gas and oil ground out the fittings, causing them to break at the union joints. Portions of the derrick floor and heavy upright timbers were ground off by the terrific force.

Two boilers have been steamed up for power for operating several big pumps for lifting the oil from the ground pool.

The Springfield No. 2 showed increased heads of oil Monday night. Bailing continues at this well.

A number of tests will probably be going on the western boundary of the forty-acre Springfield lease owned by the Corsicana Deep Well Company The whole valley intervening from the Thompson gusher and Chambers creek will likely be covered with derricks and active drilling will be in progress in less than fifteen days.

Used "Phantom Baby" To Win "Bill" Hart

Bill Hart's Phantom Baby

This "phantom baby"—phantom not so far as his existence is concerned, but because he was not as represented — was used by Miss Elizabeth McCauley, Brookline, Massachusettes) school teacher, in an endeavor to win "Bill" Hart, movie star. She swore the boy was her son by Hart's, but has confessed and exonerated the actor.

"THEY HAVE NOT DIED IN VAIN"

"On Fame's eternal camping ground their silent tents are spread,
And Glory guards, with solemn round, the Bivouac of the Dead."
—Father Ryan.

They are passing along in line today,
The brown and the gray and the blue,
Heroes who hallowed the nation's ground
Who gave their all for you;
Straight and tall, with a swinging step,
Or bowed with feet of lead,
They are marching on in an endless line—
Our country's glorious dead.
—Katherine Edelman.

"TIGER WOMAN" TELLS HOW SHE WAS LIBERATED

WAS RESCUED BY CARSON WHO FILED BARS TO HER JAIL CELL

ON WAY TO CALIF.

Will Endeavor to Prove Her Innocence upon Return to State Where First Tried

NEW ORLEANS, May 30.—Clara Phillips, "hammer murdess" in custody of Undersheriff Biscailuse prepared for the last lap of her return trip from Honduras to a lonely cell in Los Angeles today..

The "tiger woman" will leave here on a Southern Pacific train at noon for California, where she staged her sensational jail break following conviction of the murder of Mrs. Alberta Meadows.

Mrs. Phillips had lost none of her composure today.

She retold her startling story recited on her arrival here aboard the Copan, how she turned down offers to be "Queen" of the Honduras Republic, and returned to the United States voluntarily to prove she was innocent.

"I waived extradition and decided to return here and face the misic because I prefer convict life in Americt to a life of shame in the tropics" declared the notorious fugutive, who said she had been offered her freedom and a life of luxury by a high Honduras official if she would become "mistress" of his household.

Mrs. Phillips again protested that she had been a victim of a "frame up", that when she arrived in Los Angeles she would tell the real story to officials and produce evidence that would exonerate her.

The details of her sensational jail break at Los Angeles revealed by the captive for the first time on her arrival here.

Jesse Carson, "soldier of fortune", played the part of her heroic recuer, she said, after becoming infatuated with her beauty and personality during the murder trial.

Carson, picturesque and imaginative adventurer, had visions of becoming dictator of the Honduras Republic. With this dream came the desire to win the love of the "tiger woman", rescue her from her cell and take her to Honduras where he had planned to stage a revolution and then establish Clara as his confidante and co-ruler.

Then one night, armed with a hack saw Carson scaled the outer wall of the Los Angeles jail yard, climbed over the roof of Clara's cell and sawed the bars. Sliding down the walls together, they jumped into a waiting automobile and sped away in the darkness. For months later they were the object of an international search. which ended in their arrest in Honduras.

ENTRANTS INNIANAPOLIS SPEEDWAY RACES:

Car	Driver
Packard Special	Ralph DePalma
Packard Special	Joe Boyer
Packard Special	Dario Resta
Mercedes Special (German)	Christian Lautenschlager
Mercedes Special (German)	Max Sailer
Mercedes Special (German)	Christian Werner
Durant Special	Harry Hartz
Durant Special	Cliff Durant
Scheel-Frontenac	Dave Lewis
Durant Special	Jimmy Murphy
Durant Special	Eddie Hearne
Miller Special	Tommy Milton
Bugatti (French)	Pierre de Vizcaya
Bugatti (French)	Prince de Cystria
Bugatti (French)	Raoul Reganti
Bugatti (French)	M. de Alsaga
Duesenberg Special	(Not named)
Duesenberg Special	(Not named)
Miller Special	Bennett Hill
Scheel-Frontenac	Herbert Schee
Scheel-Frontenac	Ira Vail
Scheel-Frontenac	C. W. Van Ranst
Durant Special	Marlan Fengler
Barber-Warnock Special	L. L. Corum
Durant Special	Earl Cooper
Special	Frank Elliott
F. W. H. Special	F. H. Wells
Duesenberg Special	Jerry Wonderlich
Durant Special	Leon Duray
Clements Special	(Not Named)
Bugatti (French)	Count Zborowski
Spark Plug	Mystery Driver

Indianapolis, May 30—Tommy Milton in H. C. S. special is leading at the end of the first two hundred miles in the five hundred mile international sweepstakes race here.

There are cars from Germany and France, from California, Indiana, New Jersey, Michigan and Missouri. Germany has three entrants and France five. The drivers come from England, France, Poland; Italy, Germany and the Argentine, and from every section of the United States.

Among the better known American drivers are Jimmy Murphy, winner of last year's race, Tommy Milton, Ralph DePalma, Joe Boyer, Dario Resta, Eddie Hearne, Harry Hartz and Cliff Durant.

The aristocracy and nobility of the old world are represented by Count Zborowski a Polish nobleman, and Prince de Cystria, a member of the old French aristocracy.

Jimmy Murphy, won the 1922 event in five hours, 17 minutes and 30 seconds at an average speed of 94.48 miles an hour, Harroun, winner of the first race in 1911, made the 500 miles at an average speed of 71.59 miles an hour.

By GERALD OVERTON.
United Press Staff Correspondant.

INDIANAPOLIS MOTOR SPEEDWAY, May 30—A mob of speed fans, nearly 150,000 strong, began flowing through the gates of the Speedway here shortly after dawn today for the Eleventh Annual 500 mile sweepstakes race.

Hundreds parked their cars in double file along the roads leading to the Speedway and kept vigal throughout the night in order to obtain places of vantage for the gasoline derby.

Indianapolis teemed with a Cosmopolitan crowd of visitors. Streets were jammed with dust-stained automobiles bearing license plates from practically every state in the Union. The sky was overcast with rain threatening but the crowd was thankful for relief from sweltering heat.

Early morning found pilots of the twenty-three and possibly twenty-six cars, which will start, a stir in their garages looking the mechanism over for the last time. Most of the drivers turned in early last night for a second sleep in preparation for the 500 mile grind, an ordeal of nerve and muscle as well as tires and engines.

Twenty-three cars with qualification records ranging from 81 miles an hour to the 108.17 miles record hung up by Tommy Milton at the wheel of the H. C. S. Miller-motored special, were being primed and oiled for the starter's bomb at 10 o'clock.

The three Indianapolis Duesenberg specials put in a late appearance at the track yesterday and they will have to run qualification lays early today.

POCAHONTAS IS NOT IN GRAVE WHERE BURIED

AMERICANS SEEK TO BRING REMAINS BACK TO U. S.

GRACE IS EMPTY!

Died of Smallpox in London Three Centuries Ago Says History.

LONDON, May 30—Americans who today opened the grave which has been honored for years as the resting place of Pocahontas found it empty. According to records she was buried at Gravesend three centuries ago, after she died of small pox while in England with her husband, John Rolfe. The Americans planned to bring the body back to America for burial.

GRIP IS BROKEN MEN RETURN TO WORK IN VALLEY

COMMUNIST LOSE IN STRUGGLE AGAINST THE FRENCH FORCES

MOVE IS GENERAL

Only Few Attempts at Plundering Are Noted in Shops and One Mob Active

By CARL D. GROAT.
United Press Staff Correspondent.

BERLIN, May 30.—The grip of the communist on the Ruhr appeared to be broken today, when men returned to their jobs in large numbers, abandoning the terror campaign against prices and wages.

General increases were granted miners by the industrialists, and the workers went back to the pits.

A miners' meeting at Galsankirchen, considered the center of communist disorder in the Ruhr, voted to resume work. The atendants at the meeting included many communists who seemed at least temporarily pasified.

Only a few minor attempts at plundering shops were reported, and the movement for peace appears general.

A mob in Dortmund this morning threatened disorders for a time, but finally was dispersed by police.

The serious situation now apears to be in Bochum, where telegraph and telephone communication has been suspended since the French occupation. Entrance of additional police upon the scene evidently was largely instrumental in calming the situation.

HARDING HOLDS SAME VIEWS AS FORMER LEADER

Washington, May 30.—Beside the graves of America's war dead President Harding today recommitted himself to the pledge to unite America with other nations in a plan for preventing future wars. "This is a world relationship we cannot avoid and will not avoid," the president declared.

Baldwin Wants Chamberlain in His Ministry

Stanley Baldwin's Austen Chamberlain

Here is the latest photograph of Stanley Baldwin, formerly Chancellor of the Exchequer, who has been appointed Premier by King George Mr. Baldwin has asked Austen Chamberlain to re-enter the Cabinet.

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CROSS CROSSINGS CAUTIOUSLY

On June 1st the railroads will again inaugurate a three months campaign to "CROSS CROSSINGS CAUTIOUSLY" and they are asking all of the commercial organizations, luncheon clubs and others to assist them in bringing this matter to the attention of the public.

B. S. Hollimon, superintendent of the Dallas Division of the Southern Pacific lines, states in a letter to the Chamber of Commerce that within the past five years over 9,000 people have been killed on grade crossings and that by far the greater number of these were occupants of automobiles. Thus it is shown conclusively that a great many accidents are due to lack of attention and carelessness on the part of the drivers of the automobiles.

Nine thousand accidents in five years, averaging 1,800 per year or a trifle over 34 people a week, or an average of practically 5 people per day killed on grade crossings in the U. S.

This is pitable, when it is considered that practically every one of these casualties can be avoided; and the railroads are to be commended for the inauguration of the "CROSS CROSSINGS CAREFULLY" Campaign.

There are two motives actuating the Railroads in this campaign. First, is to conserve life. Often young lives, full of promise, are snuffed out, men and women in early maturity have their careers abruptly terminated, children are deprived of their means of support and wives are made widows.

There is still another side which is the lesser side of this: It is the consideration of the economic loss, and it will pay all drivers of automobiles to heed the warnings that the railroads are constantly giving.

"CROSS CROSSINGS CAUTIOUSLY."

THE AVENUE BEAUTIFUL

Today the pavement on Ross Avenue is finished.

The street gives promise of becoming noted as one of the most beautiful avenues to be found in any Texas city.

Already folks are beginning to observe and remark "I believe Ross Avenue is one of the prettiest streets I have ever seen."

The property and home owners on Ross no doubt are very proud of the appearance of their street now. They are proud of the reputation that it sustains among streets of Mexia's constantly expanding and ever improving residential areas. They will undoubtedly constantly take pride in its retention of its present enviable character and strive vigorously and uniformly to increase the loveliness of the muchly traveled thoroughfare.

In beautifying any street or avenue, every property owner must necessarily cooperate. One unkept lawn or vacant lot and one spot along the curb unattended can easily and does mar the appearance of the whole.

If the citizens on all streets, paved or unpaved, will decide upon some manner of beautification easily within the possibilities of all to cooperate in, then every piece of property and all premises here will share in the worthy work and its resultant increase in property values.

Mexia will thereby attract the attention of every visitor. Many will then long to move to Mexia and become a part of its active and enterprising life. More homes will go up constantly and Mexia will find its improvement program cooperated with by its practical city beautification plans.

In the meantime lets change the method of street designation here, in line with the suggestion in The News Sunday morning.

ICE SKATES PLENTIFUL IN .....

Although Los Angeles is a city that knows no snows, Allen Holubar, director of "Slander the Woman," starring Dorothy Phillips, the feature now being shown at the National Theatre, had no trouble in securing all the ice skaters he desired when he filmed the big skating scenes in the production.

Over one hundred men, women and children answered the call issued by Holubar for professional ice skaters to appear in the picture. And all were given a trial on the ice at the United Studios, where a large indoor rink had been contructed exclusively for the production. Strange to say, fully eighty per cent of the applicants were accomplished performers on the ice and these were immediately given parts in "Slander the Woman."

PARIS, May 30.—Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen is still suffering from the breakdown that followed her play in the hard court finals Sunday, but may be able to play in the singles at Wimbledon.

CARIBOU IN THE CARIBOO, FOR BIG GAME HUNTERS; ALSO SPORT AND HEALTH FOR ALL VISITORS THERE

MT MITCHELL, QUESNEL LAKE

CARIBOO GUIDE AND BEAR DOG WITH THEIR KILL

Cariboo Lodge at the foot of 80-mile long Quesnel Lake, 200 miles north of Ashcroft in British Columbia, is one of the newest lures for big game hunters and lovers of outdoor life. It is the gateway to the Cariboo hunting and fishing grounds located on the Great Interior Plateau between the Rockies and the Cascades, east of the Fraser River.

The waters of this region afford most satisfying sport; Silver and Rainbow Trout up to seven and eight pounds, rise to the fly; fly fishing, bait and spoon casting and deep water trolling may be followed with gratifying success.

Wild game is plentiful; ducks of all kinds abound, while Blue Grouse, Willow Grouse and Prairie Chicken are found in large numbers, the season for shooting these birds opens September 1st.

The Cariboo district is essentially a Big Game country and the hunter has unusual opportunities to bring down Grizzly, Brown and Black Bear. May 1st to June 30th is the best time to hunt bear here. This region is a natural home for moose, caribou, mountain goat and deer and practically every hunter who shoots over this country gets a full bag. The season opens Sept. 1st and caribou can often be hunted well on into December.

From the North Arm of Quesnel Lake, a portage of six miles leads to Mitchell Lake, 10 miles long, which is surrounded by a wonderfully rich Big Game territory. Another trip springs from the head of Quesnel's East Arm, involving an 8-mile portage to Upper, Blue and Lower Clearwater Lakes, about which another rich and only partly explored region awaits the 1923 hunter. One of the best moose districts in the northwest is reached by saddle train to Cariboo Lake, a distance of 18 miles from the Lodge, then by boat and canoe to the end of navigation on Swamp River, altogether about 35 miles.

The bag limit is 1 moose, 2 caribou, 3 deer, 3 bear and 2 goat. Only one grizzly allowed.

This district is growing rapidly in popularity and parties considering going into it to hunt or fish should make reservations as early as possible. E. S. Knight of Ashcroft runs the Lodge and transports his clientele by motor from Ashcroft. The trip can be made in one day if an early start is made, otherwise a night is spent en route at one of the roadhouses where meals and accommodations are of the best.

For those who neither care to fish or hunt, yet long for the wilds, the Lodge will provide a pleasant summer retreat, where boating, climbing and pony riding afford recreation.

CREAMERY PROPOSED FOR MEXIA BY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WHO IS READY TO FORWARD PROJECT

One of the greatest money makers for a town, it's people and the farmers is a creamery. There is being agitated at the persent, a creamery for Mexia. One great and impressive fact regarding a creamery is the fact that each and every day it turns so much money loose in the channels of trade that is spent with the merchants and all business institutions of a community. Cotton and corn come once a year and with great labor and planning—milk, butter and cream come each and every day and are used accordingly. They are necessities and must be supplied. When this matter was brought up several years ago by leading citizens we were confronted with several obstacles and two of the leading hindrances have been overcome. One was, we did not have the cows, the other the good roads over which the milk could be brought in every day to the creamery. An added advantage is the fact that we now have ten thousand people using these necessities wherein then we had only about one fourth that number.

There are today five hundred cows being milked in and near Mexia and this can easily be raised to seven hundred which will be a surplus of about two hundred cows over minimum requirements.

One of the largest dairymen is now milking one hundred and forty cows and states he will add one hundred if we get the creamery. There is a quick turn-over in milk products, the raw products comes in today and is out tomorrow a finihsed product on the worlds' market.

There are from twenty-five to thirty cases of butter shipped in and sold every day in Mexia, also ten to fifteen gallons of sweet cream that the writer knows of, as well as thirty gallons of Bulgarian butter milk. This makes a conservative total of over four hundred dollars per day that leaves Mexia and goes to other Cities, which as you can see is twelve thousand dollars per month and near fifty thousand a year that can easily be kept at home and spent with our local merchants. These figures are based on present market prices and do not take into consideration the money that is paid to the farmers and dairymen each day for these products as raw matreial.

Here is a lesson in economics brought face to face with the citiezns of Mexia. A first class creamery can be erected for ten thousand dollars and this will set aside a safe sum for operation, and this small investment is one of the safest possible, for it will furnish a necessity.

Again the happiness of a people depends on two fundamentals, as follows: FRESH PURE WATER, and FRESH PURE MILK. Of course a creamery is necessarily run and handled in every respect in acordance with one of the strictest laws in the state—all milk has to be Pasturized. We know what this means. No city today is allowed to sell or allowed to have sold milk that is NOT Pasturized. Which means that all germs of every kind are eliminated from same. The health of all children is dependent on a fresh, safe supply of milk, and the creamery FULLY guarantees this. Then from the health standpoint alone it is fully worth the effort and investment to put it in.

The largest dairymen have been approached on the subject and they are HEARTILY in accord with the movement. This is just a step foreward, for a Big Strong healthy community. Shall we GO or slip back?

It is an admitted fact that, IF we don't move foreward, we do not stand still—we go backwards, and can Mexia refuse such step forward when not only is a creamery a safe-guard for health, but it is a safe investment as well. Wherein money invested will be paid out regularlly in dividends. A creamery is a paying institution.

The Chamber of Commerce would like to hear from any citizen who is interested in, and would like to forward the creamery movement.

CHAMPION ICE SKATERS .....

That ice skating in Southern California is not a lost art was recently evidenced when Allen Holubar, producer-director of a motion picture story based on life in Northeastern Canada isued a call for one hundred professional ice skaters. Over three hundred persons from Los Angeles and surrounding districts, ranging in ages from eight to sixty years, answered the advertisements which were printed in local newspapers.

Included in the applicants who would appear in "Slander the Woman," the Allen Holubar production which features Dorothy Phillips in the stellar role, were several skaters of international reputation and fully a score who had appeared in vaduevills or revues at various times . Of this number were John Nilsson, of Minneapolis, four times winner of the world's championship medal for fancy rink skating, and S. L. Smith, former headliner of a large Eastern vaudeville circuit. The former skater annexed the Skater's Canada issued a call for one hundred tive year from 1897 to 1900 inclusive.

"Slander the Woman" is now being exhibited at the National Theatre. The story has to do with social life in Canada where ice skating is the favorite outdoor sport. Inasmuch as there are no frozen lakes or outdoor rinks within several hundred miles of Los Angeles, and, as a scene lighted by artificial light is usually superior to natural illumination, Producer Holubar caused a mammoth ice rink to be constructed on Stage 2 at the United Studios, Hollywood, Cal., where the film was made.

Dorothy Phillips, star of the production, is an expert skater, having acquired a knowledge of the sport while wintering in the dominion a few years ago. In "Slander the Woman" she demonstrates her ability on the ice in a convincing manner. She is ably supported in her new picture by Lewis Dayton, noted English actor, and a capable cast.

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PUZZLE OF WHY DEBT HELPS SOME BUT HARMS OTHERS EXPLAINED

How a Debt Can Be Put to Work to Increase Earnings—Thrift and Loans Go Hand in Hand to Aid the Industrious.

The true use of debt in personal and business affairs remains something of a puzzle to many people. To some the very word "debt" signifies misfortune, while others merely fail to understand the ways in which they can put a debt to work for them to increase their earnings. The Committee on Public Education of the American Bankers Association has undertaken in the following discussion of how and why banks loan money to clear up these misunderstandings:

Some people think that to incur a debt at the bank is unwise, or a reflection on their business standing. This is not the case where the debt is contracted for legitimate business purposes. Incurring debt to live beyond one's income is something no thrifty person would do, and careless use of credit leads to extravagance and disaster, but wise borrowing is an encouragement to thrift and industry.

The first function of the banker is to encourage industry and thrift so that a large fund of bank deposits may be accumulated. This fund is often likened to a reservoir in which water is accumulated for community needs. The banker then loans from this fund to those conducting the business of the community.

The banker bases credit on what are known as the three C's of credit — Character, Capacity and Capital. Character is an imperative business qualification. Allied with character is Capacity. Before making a loan a banker takes into consideration the capacity of the applicant—that is, his ability to earn through his honesty and his industry. Capital is a man's worth in money, merchandise, stocks and bonds or lands, which may be given as collateral in security of a loan to make it safe.

Let us consider the business transactions of Mr. Smith, the storekeeper. He finds, with his business increasing, that he needs a larger stock of goods. Also, some of his customers do not pay cash, and their accounts must be carried until "pay day." He must have more money for his business, so he goes to his banker for advice. The banker asks Mr. Smith to submit a statement of his business, showing what he owns and what he owes. He knows Smith's character and responsibility from his observation of his dealings and from the confidence that people have in him. If he finds Mr. Smith's statement, and the progress he is making, satisfactory he will be glad to consider the best method of loaning him the needed funds.

How Money Is Loaned

Money is loaned by banks on straight notes, on indorsed notes, on collateral notes, on bills receivable and on trade acceptances. Mr. Smith may be told by the banker that, because he has sufficient money in his business and manages it well, the bank will extend him credit without his putting up any security beyond his own word of honor, evidenced by his note.

Let us say that Mr. Smith needs a maximum amount of $2,500 during his busiest season and that the bank has consented to grant him such a "line of credit." Mr. Smith could come to the bank and make out a note for any portion or all of this amount for any time up to six months. To pay some bills he needs, say, $500. He estimates that within sixty days he will receive from his charge customers enough money to repay this amount. He therefore makes a sixty day note, which the banker "discounts" at the prevailing rate of interest, let us say 6 per cent, and places the proceeds to Mr. Smith's credit. How much does he credit to Mr. Smith's account? Six per cent on $500 for sixty days is $5. This amount the banker deducts at the time the note is made, it being the interest which he charges Mr. Smith for the use of the money. He then credits Mr. Smith with the proceeds of the note, or $495. When the note is due in sixty days Mr. Smith has received payment from his customers, and he pays the bank $500. The bank marks the note paid and returns it to Mr. Smith.

If Mr. Smith's business condition were not sufficiently strong to warrant granting him unsecured credit the banker might say to Mr. Smith, "I want to help you, but you will have to get the indorsement of your friend, Mr. Jones." Jones is known to the banker as a very reliable and responsible business man. Should he be willing to help Mr. Smith he will write his name on the back of Mr. Smith's note and if Smith cannot pay the note when due Mr. Jones will have to pay.

In another case, the banker, still anxious to help Smith, might say, "I am willing to loan you up to $2,500, but you must secure the loan with the goods which you purchase for that amount and with some additional goods." Mr. Smith would have to warehouse the merchandise used as collateral in such a way that it might be easily identified through warehouse receipts as being the bank's property until the note is paid. If Smith finally found himself unable to pay, the banker could sell the merchandise and use the proceeds to pay the note. If the goods brought more than the amount of the note the bank would pay the excess to Mr. Smith; if the amount were not enough the bank would look to Mr. Smith to make good the difference.

Mortgage Loans

Loans against farm lands, called mortgage loans, are frequently made in country districts. If Mr. Smith, lacking an indorser or sufficient collateral or business standing, owned a farm free of debt he might give a mortgage on it as security.

The procedure would be somewhat different from loaning against merchandise. The law, realizing the useful place farm and home owners occupy, protects them in a special manner. It says to the lender, in case of default on a mortgage loan, "You must give this owner of land one year after serving notice that you expect to sell his land to pay the mortgage and redeem the debt." This is called the period of redemption.

Mr. Smith has still another method open to obtain funds from his banker. He has sold, say, a $500 bill of merchandise to Mr. Brown, a dealer in a smaller community, who must sell the goods to his own customers before he can pay Smith. Smith says to Brown: "If you can't pay cash give me a ninety day note. I will discount it and get immediate cash on it from my bank. I will have to pay 6 per cent interest to do so, and I shall want you to pay that interest." Mr. Brown agrees and makes his ninety day note for $500 with interest at 6 per cent. Mr. Smith takes this note to the bank, which advances him credit for $500. When the bank collects the note from Brown ninety days later it receives $507.50, the added $7.50 being the 6 per cent interest charge for the use meanwhile of the money for the ninety day period of the note.

These are the various ways in which the bank serves its community by placing, through loans, the accumulated thrift of the community at the disposal of business and industry.

Patterson's Column

LAST night
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WAS LADIES night
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AT the Salesmanship
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CLUB—and I was
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THERE—and I don't think
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I EVER SAW so many
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PRETTY women—and I
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TRIED to make a set
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SPEECH which I had
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PREPARED with care and
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PATIENCE
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AND it was all about
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THE LADIES and just
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AS I started to talk
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A PRETTY BLONDE
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LOOKED at me and
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SMILED ENCOURAGEINGLY
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AND I WENT up in the
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AIR—mentally and
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FORGOT my speech
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AND my head got hot
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AND my feet got
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COLD and the
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PERSPERATION flowed
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DOWN my spine like
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A RIVER and I sat
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DOWN disgusted and
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THE JUDGES rubbed it
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IN by handing me
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A BIG LEMON
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ALL dolled up
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WITH a red ribbon
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AND I got sore
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SALESMAN Landrum who
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IS a dandy speaker and
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HE passed it to
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WADDILL another good
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TALKER but he passed
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ON to
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DAVID CARSON BAYLESS
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A FINE speaker
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A FINE preacher and
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A SPLENDID SINGER
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AND like Colonel
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A GOOD SPORT
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AND so the evening
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PASSED pleasantly
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AND I hope that
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EVERYBODY there
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KNEW that I was in
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JEWELRY BUSINESS
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AND will come to
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TO buy from me,
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I thank you.

Patterson.

The charming little mascot of the seniors '23, Miss Phoebe Jane Gardner, entertained them Tuesday evening with a picnic at the Reunion Grounds. The chaperons were, the hostesses father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Gardner; her grandmother, Mrs. Dickson; her aunt, Miss Molly Seale; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hickman. As sponsor for the class Mrs. Ben Smith was there with her son Benjamin and Miss Corinne Desenberg, their teacher for the four years in high school was present. After they had enjoyed themselves for awhile they served the most elaborate picnic.

The table was beautifully decorated with a large basket of sweet peas and ferns for the center piece. They were amused at the table with the question and answers on the place cards. At each place was a bunch of sweet peas. The supper consisted of chicken salad sandwich, fruit salad, potato chips, olives, brown bread, fruit punch, and ice cream.

Clyde Keeling who has been attending the Texas Military College at Terrill, Texas, has returned home for the summer vacation. He made quite a good record on the foot ball and base ball squads.

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Westminster's 27th Commencement Starts June 1

Friday June 1 is the date set for the begintning of commencement week at Westminister College at Tehuacana, near here. At 8:00 o'clock on that date, the Musical club will render a concert which the organization has been rehearsing for some time. It is certain to be a rare musical treat and many will likely atend from here.

The Sunday following, in the morning the Baccalaureate sermon will be delivered and in the evening will be held the Alumni service.

The Colleg has had a very successful year just ended and the commencement exercises are certain to reflect the finest expression of this achievement. It is the twenty-seventh Commencement for Westminister College.

The program is as follows:

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

Friday, June 1 8:00 p. m., Concert by the Musical Club.

Sunday, June 3, 11:00 a. m., Baccalaureate Service. 3:30 p. m., Ministerial Association. 8:00 p. m., Alumni Service.

Monday, June 4, 10:00 a. m., Bryan Debating Club. 3:00 p. m., Class Day Program. 8:00 p. m., Reading, Oration, and Essay Contest.

Tuesday, June 5, 10:00 a. m., Joint Society Celebration. 5:30 p. m., Alumn Banquet. 8:00 p. m., Fine Arts Prom.

Wednesday, June 6, 10:00 a. m., Commencement Day. 3:30 p. m., Alumni Business Meeting. 8:00 p. m., Commencement Play.

FOR RENT—Furnished house for two or three months while party is out of town. Box 118. 30K1

Miss Frances King left Tuesday for her home in Houston where she will spend a few days with her family and friends. She will return to Mexia Sunday.

The friends of W. D. Freeman will be glad to know he is greatly improved although he is not able to go down town.

Harry Clair returned home from Tyler Tuesday night where he has been to the Tyler Commercial College.

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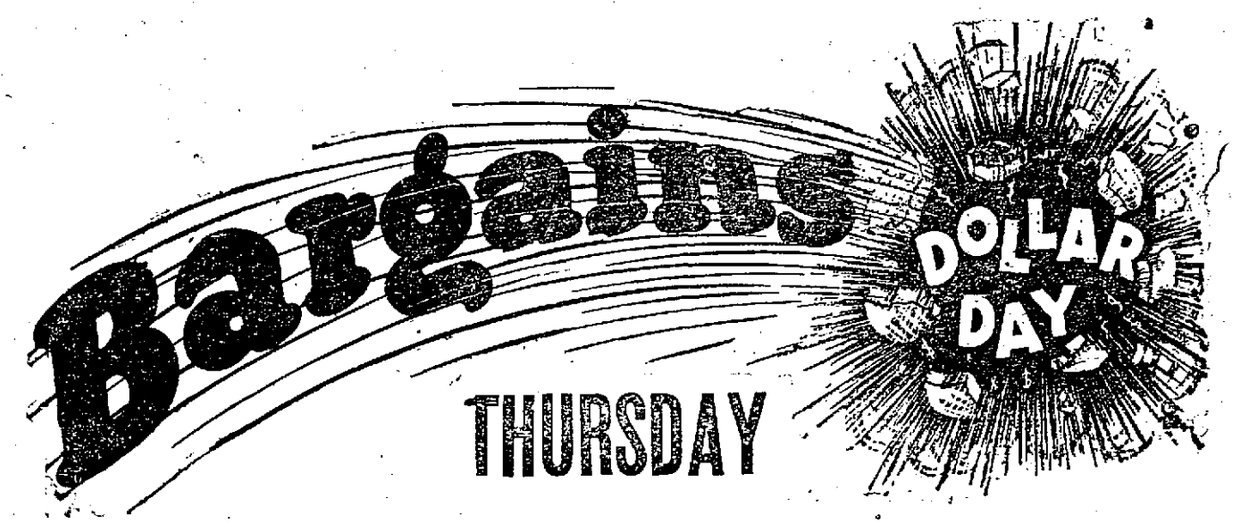

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—One lot of men's knee length union suits; 64 count naisook; regularly selling 75c per suit. Thursday 2 for..... $1

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—One lot of all silk pongee; very desirable for waist and blouses; regularly selling $1.50 per yard; Dollar Day..... $1

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—One lot of 32 inch fast colored dress ginghams; assorted patterns; regularly selling at 35c and 25c, 5 yards..... $1

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—Several dozen ladies brassiers; all sizes selling regularly at 75c tomorrow 2 for..... $1

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—One lot of Turkish Towels, 20x20, a good 65c value; very special for Dollar Day at 5 for..... $1

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—In good grade of muslin and in colors of white and flesh, $1.50 values, on sale tomorrow at, each—
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LADIES SILK HOSE
—in colors of Black, Brown, Grey and White, regularly selling at 75c, tomorrow 2 pair—
—$1.00—

FRENCH GINGHAMS
—One lot of 32 inch French Ginghams in checks of black, blue, brown, lavender, pink and orange. Our regular 50c grade; tomorrow 3 yards..... $1

MEN'S SILK HOSE
—In colors of black, brown and white; formerly selling at 75c per pair and a good value at that. Tomorrow we will sell you 2 pair for..... $1

VAL LACE
—One lot of val lace; a grand assortment of patterns; pieces sufficiently great to insure trimming of whole garments. On sale tomorrow 20 yards..... $1

SEAL PAX UNIONS
—One lot of men's seal pax union suits; well known to every man; regularly selling everywhere at $1.50 and $1.25 per garment; tomorrow each..... $1

GOWNS
—One lot of Ladies muslin and crepe gowns; neatly trimmed with ribbon, rosebuds and lace. Regularly selling at $1.50 and $1.95; Thursday each..... $1

ROMPER CLOTH
—A pretty material for children's wear; in stripes and checks; our regular 35c value; tomorrow only 4 yards for..... $1

FANCY BATISTE
—One lot of fancy basiste in colors of flesh, pink, light blue and white; very pretty for under wear: Dollar Day 2½ yard for..... $1

DRESS GINGHAMS
—One lot of 27 inch dress ginghams in plaids and stripes; a range of pretty colors; regularly selling at 25c per yard; tomorrow 6 yards..... $1

WHITE VOILE
—Good quality; 40 inches wide; our 65c value; offered tomorrow as an extra special—2½ yards..... $1

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8-INCH STEEL BOTTLE LIFTS 30,000 POUNDS; NEW DEVELOPMENT FOR STORED POWER

A. E. STILWELL, RAILROAD BUILDER, INFLATES TIRE IN THREE SECONDS
WILL BE HANDY AND CLEAN FOR WOMAN DRIVER
950-027
STEEL BOTTLE MAKES HOME SODAS
WALTER S. JOSEPHSON AT SUCCESSFUL TEST

A ten-year-old girl turned a small valve and lifted into the air a 11,500-pound truck in a second's time before the Long Island City, N. Y., Courthouse, recently.

It was the first public demonstration of a new device for storing and releasing portable power. An old force in nature had been harnessed in a new way to adapt it to scores of uses for everybody. It was said to be probably the first time in history that so great a volume of immediately available stored energy had been bottled up as a convenient public utility.

A famous mechanical engineer, Walter S. Josephson of New York, working day and night for the last two years, had made the miracles possible.

The small steel bottle the little girl held in her hand contained a potential lifting power of 30,000 pounds.

After the truck had been lifted the crowd saw seven-year-old Howard Josephson lift a heavy touring car. Connecting the steel bottle with a tube he inflated a tire from flat in three seconds, and a little later used the contents of the steel bottle to chill and carbonate water in a single operation.

The demonstrations, it was said, were but the prelude to the almost innumerable uses to which it is expected the stored power will be put. If a man is pinioned under a street car, it was stated, the car can be as readily lifted as the truck, by a policeman, motorman or car conductor at almost a moment's notice, extricating the victim.

"Our experiments today were only preliminary," said Mr. Josephson, later in his mechanical laboratory at Hunter's Point. "We have been able to bottle the power of a highly expansible liquid in a small steel flask that a man can carry about in his pocket wherever he goes, without connection with a main source of power. And he can use the power whenever he wants and as much or as little of it as he desires. He can carry it to the top of the mountain or to the heart of a desert and use it as readily as in workshop or foundry. He can store it away for several years if need be and draw on it when needed.

"We are developing our power containers with a view to their refrigerative possibilities. We have a soda water device to chill and carbonate water in the home and expect it will be possible to make soda water for less than one cent a glass in the home. We have been asked to make experiments for the refrigeration of fruit cars and expect shortly to have a car at our disposal. We feel that the power feature of our devices will find a ready market where immediate lifting power is wanted at a moment's notice."

Col. R. C. Simmons, well known around Mexia, in the early days of the oil boom and who handles quite a number of valuable leases and organized the Dureloc Oil Company among the colored investors, is now in Luling, where he has collected quite a lot of valuable leases and royalty deals, for Mexia and Houston investors. Mr. Simmons was a well known figure around Mexia for a few years and was always an active worker in Lodge and Church work among the colored people here. His many friends wish him success in his new field.

To prevent a Cold, take 666.

L. C. Moore returned from Sayre, Okla., where he has been on oil business.

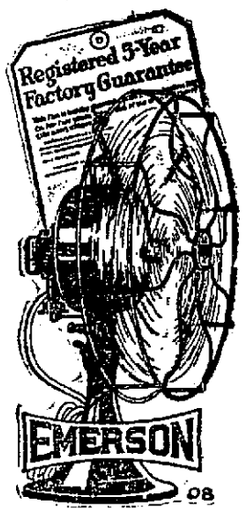
F. W. Welch is attending the Automobile Dealers Association in Corpus Christi.

R. L. Bankston motored over to Mineral Wells last Sunday.

Miss Lillian Rushing spent last Sunday in Waxahachie.

J. F. Denning motored over to Waco today on a business mission.

Drive The Heat Away



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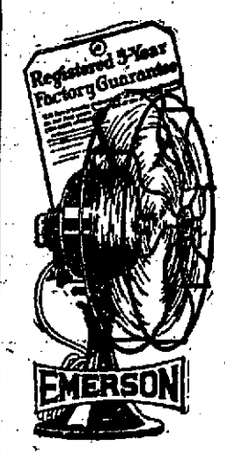

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Elgin watchmakers have answered this question by making wrist watches that *do keep* time: above all else—*accurate, dependable,* beautiful. Come in the next time you are near our store and see our special Graduation Gift Season Display of Elgin Watches.

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IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE!

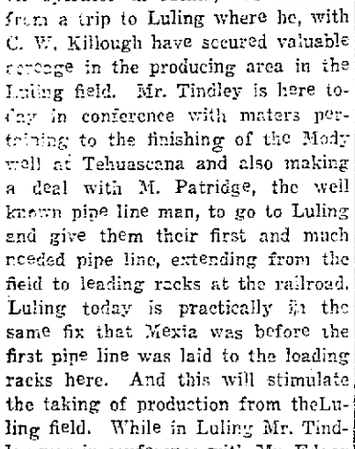
Charles Pe[illegible] Tindley, well known oil operator in Mexia, has returned from a trip to Luling where he, with C. W. Killough have secured valuable acreage in the producing area in the Luling field. Mr. Tindley is here today in conference with maters pertaining to the finishing of the Mody well at Tehuacana and also making a deal with M. Patridge, the well known pipe line man, to go to Luling and give them their first and much needed pipe line, extending from the field to leading racks at the railroad. Luling today is practically in the same fix that Mexia was before the first pipe line was laid to the loading racks here. And this will stimulate the taking of production from the Luling field. While in Luling Mr. Tindley was in conference with Mr. Edgar Davis, discover of the field and head of the United North and South Oil Company, who controls extensive acreage in the main fields of this new oil producing territory.

Mrs. R. J. Ellington left today for Houston to visit her daughter, Mrs. Raleigh DeLong, during the illness of her little grand son.

666 Quickly relieves a cold.

Palace Theatre

Wednesday and Thursday



and a great cast including

Katherine Perry, Tully Marshall, Doris Pawn and Nick de Ruiz

We Won't Get Home Until M-o-o-orning

Girls—would you marry this man?

Fathers—would you support him?

Employers—would you employ him?

Behold! The King of Spenders and of Good Fellows!

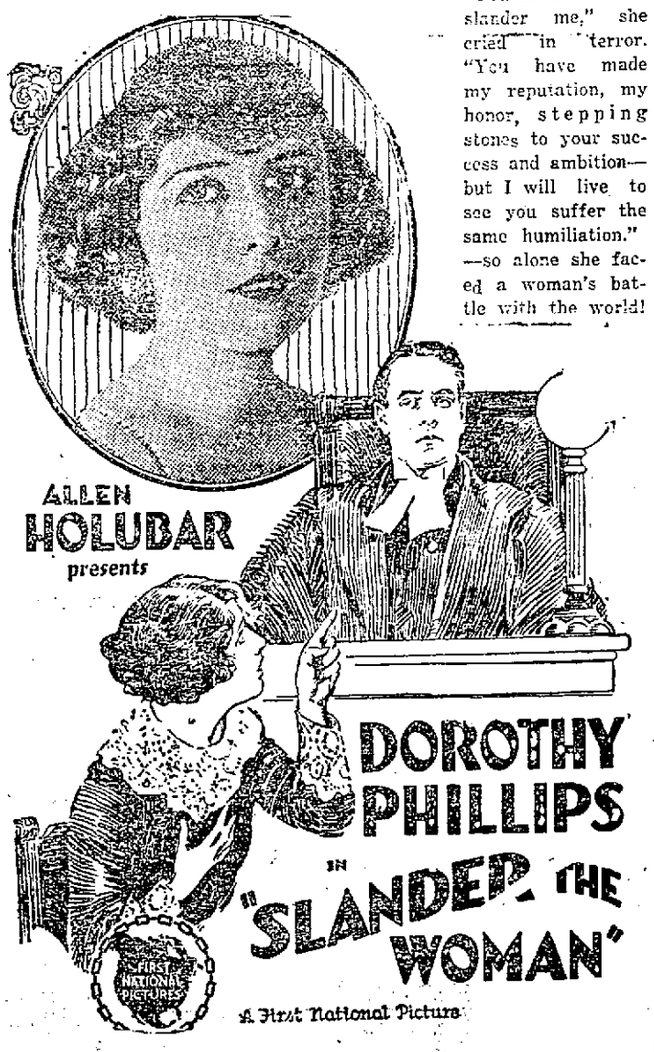
Here is a reckless high society in all its folly and wasting! Here is a fast gripping, suspenseful comedy drama of today—the story of a happy-go-lucky fellow, a victim of wealth, rollicking, frolicking, fighting—finally redeeming himself. You'll laugh. You'll thrill! You'll enjoy yourself! See it!

NATIONAL THEATRE

Today and Wednesday

A Drama That Will Strike the Understanding Heart of Woman!

A Woman's Story—and the story of a woman whom the fiery tongues of scandal had scared and her fight to regain that fragile but priceless possession—Reputation. With its scenes laid in aristocratic ancestral halls and the open spaces of the great snow county, the drama moves with tremendous power and surging emotions.



"You have let them slander me," she cried in terror. "You have made my reputation, my honor, stepping stones to your success and ambition—but I will live to see you suffer the same humiliation."
—so alone she faced a woman's battle with the world!

Adapted from "The White Frontier" by Jeffrey Deprend
With Lewis Dayton and an All-Star Cast

Coming tomorrow
JACKIE COOGAN in
"DADDY"

End-of-Month SALE

OF FINE SILK HOSIERY

—Greater Hosiery values were never offered. $2.50, $3.50 and $4.50 grades at—

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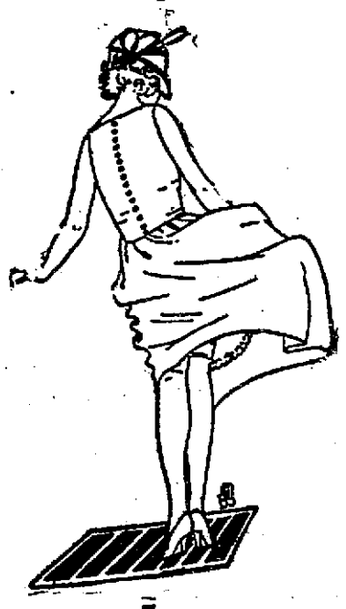
—Gordon and other well-known brands—all silk or with lisle garter tops—Black, White, and all shoe shades.



Four Days Only

Wednesday, Thrsday, Friday and Saturday.

GENE SINCLAIR

SHOES — HOSIERY

Next Door to Post Office

Johnny Kilbane Favorite, 7 to 5.

NEW YORK, May 30.—Johnny Kilbane is ruling a 7 to 5 favorite to retain his featherweight championship when he meets Eugene Criqui at the Polo Grounds next Saturday afternoon.

Boxing experts who have looked over the French holder of the European championship all admit that he is a nice young fellow, that he has a most extraordinary good looking wife, and that the war cost him a lot. But so far as his chance with the venerable champ is concerned, the verdict is that Kilbane is too good with his right hand. And that he knows too much.

Kilbane has trained very carefuly and a general feeling among the experts that he should win has not made him look too lightly upon his challenger. Kilbane knows too much for that.

The champ will work under one handicap unless he has picked up some doughboy French since he signed up for the Criqui fight. Johnny has worked himself out of several tight places with language, and the only thing that Criqui knows of John's language is "dollars." The verbal reference to currency will not razz the Frenchman.

Criqui is being regarded in more or less of a sympathetic light. The Frenchman is a war hero, much more of a hero than Carpentier. He lost a part of his jaw at Verdun and he came back to the ring with a piece of a rib grafted into his cheek.

He claims that the operation gave him an iron jaw, and that it severed the connection of the nerves between the "button" and the brain. Kilbane remarked rather facetiously that if a shrapnel on the jaw couldn't stop Criqui, he had his doubts about anyone's right hand doing the trick, and some of the short and betters are fighting the same way.

CHAMPION ICE SKATERS .....

That ice skating in Southern California is not a lost art was recently evidenced when Allen Holubar, producer-director of a motion picture story based on life in Northeastern Canada isued a call for one hundred professional ice skaters. Over three hundred persons from Los Angeles and surrounding districts, ranging in ages from eight to sixty years, answered the advertisements which were printed in local newspapers.

Included in the applicants who would appear in "Slander the Woman," the Allen Holubar production which features Dorothy Phillips in the stellar role, were several skaters of international reputation and fully a score who had appeared in vadueville or revues at various times. Of this number were John Nilsson, of Minneapolis, four times winner of the world's championship medal for fancy rink skating, and S. L. Smith, former headliner of a large Eastern vaudeville circuit. The former skater annexed the Skater's Canada issued a call for one hundred tive year from 1897 to 1900 inclusive.

"Slander the Woman" is now being exhibited at the National Theatre. The story has to do with social life in Canada where ice skating is the favorite outdoor sport. Inasmuch as there are no frozen lakes or outdoor rinks within several hundred miles of Los Angeles, and, as a scene lighted by artificial light is usually superior to natural illumination, Producer Holubar caused a mammoth ice rink to be constructed on Stage 2 at the United Studios, Hollywood, Cal., where the film was made.

Dorothy Phillips, star of the production, is an expert skater, having acquired a knowledge of the sport while wintering in the dominion a few years ago. In "Slander the Woman" she demonstrates her ability on the ice in a convincing manner. She is ably supported in her new picture by Lewis Dayton, noted English actor, and a capable cast.

ICE SKATES PLENTIFUL IN .....

Although Los Angeles is a city that knows no snows, Allen Holubar, director of "Slander the Woman," starring Dorothy Phillips, the feature now being shown at the National Theatre, had no trouble in securing all the ice skaters he desired when he filmed the big skating scenes in the production.

Over one hundred men, women and children answered the call issued by Holubar for professional ice skaters to appear in the picture. And all were given a trial on the ice at the United Studios, where a large indoor rink had been contructed exclusively for the production. Strange to say, fully eighty per cent of the applicants were accomplished performers on the ice and these were immediately given parts in "Slander the Woman."

BOSTON, Mass., May 30.—Bobby Quinn, vice president and business manager of the St. Louis Browns, will become the president and general manager of the Red Sox when the club changes hands, it is reported here.

PARIS, May 30.—Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen is still suffering from the breakdown that followed her play in the hard court finals Sunday, but may be able to play in the singles at Wimbledon.

BUGHOUSE FABLES

IT'S TWINS
WHAT A DISAPPOINTMENT! I HAD HOPES IT WOULD BE TRIPLETS.
SNIFF SNIFF
THANX TO JERRY HITCHCOCK
I AIN'T BOTHERED
DEBECK
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NEW YORK, May 30.—Andrew Andriola, truck driver, was awarded an Art Scholarship by the Art League, which is headed by Charles Dana Gibson.

HAMMONTON, N. J., May 30.—A man can't run an automobile and pet a woman at the same time, Justice Mischlich said as he fined William Sciovene $14 for one-handed driving.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 30.—Mrs. C. E. Brewster, called frantically for police when she found her 3 year old daughter Frances, eating the neighbor's dynamite. Police said the child was chewing on the end of a half pound stick when they arrived.

NEW YORK May 30.—"Prominent business men" of Rockaway announced they would build an arena to seat 100,000 and give Dempsey $350,000 to fight Harry Wills there this fall.

House Is Named Manager Indians

Waco, May 29.—H. H. House, coach of the Texas Aggies baseball team during the season just closed and pitcher of the Waco club, has been named as permanent manager of the Waco Indians to fill the vacancy caused by the release of Ray Falk, according to announcement made by President Harry Dupuy of the Indians Saturday night. House has been signed by the Indians since early spring, but reported at the close of the collegiate baseball season. He is a splendid coach and should be a great help to the Indians along that line. Further than that, he has the ability to handle men and is more than popular with Waco fans. He takes over the reins of management beginning last Sunday. President Dupuy also indicated that House will also take his regular turn on the mound.

The club is hitting the ball at a fast clip and is fielding in ship-shape. With the new life House is capable of injecting into the club, things should move upward so far as the Waco team is concerned. Jack Shires, temporary manager, remains with the club as first backer. He is a valuable player and will doubtless be House's right-hand man.

The men of the First Christian church have organized a club called the Fellowship club. They will meet about twice every two months after business hours and come straight to the parlor of the church where they will be served a good supper, each plate 35c. After supper they will have a social hour before gong into Prayer Meeting. Everyone is invited.

The ex-kaiser is reported to have been paid $200,000 for his autobiography, while Hindenburg and Ludendorff each profited by $50,000 or $60,000 by their writings on the war.

Due to the fall in the value of the mark cash registers are now useless in Germany.

Ten Offenders Past Two Days

Deputy sheriffs working in Mexia territory picked up ten offenders during Monday and Tuesday as follows:

Disturbing the peace 1.
Manufacturing liquor 2.
Vags 2.
Operating punch board 2
Assault and battery 2.
Investigation 1.

Chief Albert Mace Resigned Office

Albert Mace, chief of police for the past year, and who tendered his resignation some time ago, severed his connection with the city government last Saturday night, and assumed his duties as a peace officer for the Humphreys company with headquarters at the Reunion grounds.

City Manager Geo. W. Perkins is acting chief until the City Commission makes a regular appointment.

A halibut taken in Alaska in 1906 weighed 365 pounds.

Called Meeting Masonic Lodge

Springfiled Lodge No. 74, A. F. & A. M. tonight at 8 o'clock for work in the Masters degree. Visitors are always welcome.—M. B. Webb, W. M.

Admiral Roussin, formerly chief of the general staff of the imperial Russian navy, is employed as a copying clerk in Paris at a wage of a few dollars a week.

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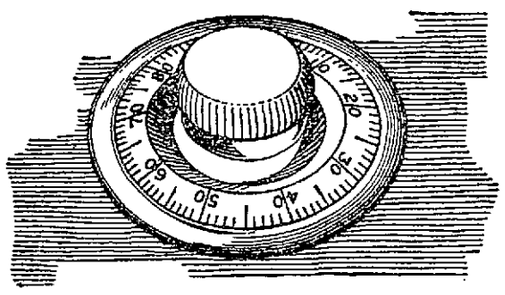
Detailed information as to Rates, Routes, Reservations, etc. upon application.
F. P. HUCHINGSON
Agent

Take This Tip
From Experts
Cookery experts agree that the best and most healthful baking powder is made from cream of tartar, derived from grapes.
That is why they insist on
ROYAL
Baking Powder
The ONLY nationally distributed Cream of Tartar Baking Powder
Contains No Alum—Leaves No Bitter Taste

WORKING THE "COMBINATION"



A combination lock usually protects something valuable. The more valuable the article protected the more complicated the "combination", as a rule.

It requires a certain degree of knowledge and some practice to "work it". In this respect the combination to prosperity is no different from others.

In a farming community like ours, the door to prosperity may be opened, with close application and patience, by working the following combination properly.

Feedstuffs—milch cows—hogs—poultry

You may need some help—if so, use us. We're here for exactly that.

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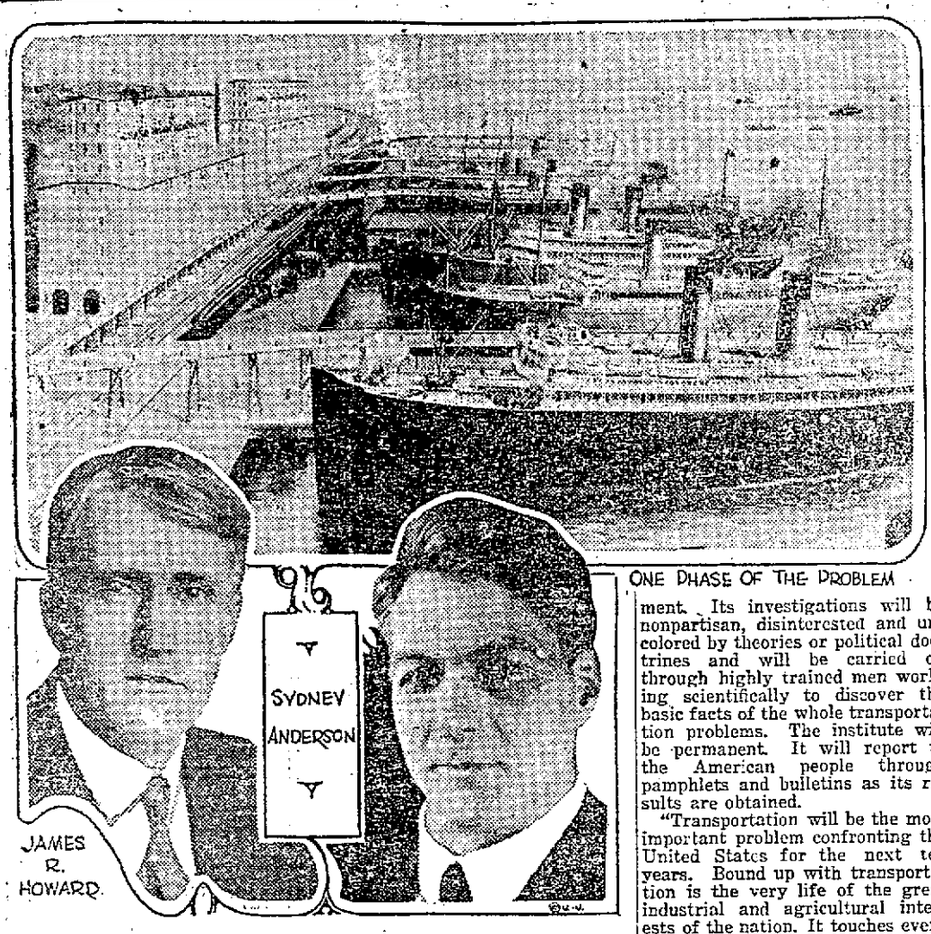
FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE
The Pioneer News Stand will accept cash Want Ads for the
MEXIA DAILY NEWS
Ads must be turned in by noon in order to appear the same day.
MEXIA DAILY NEWS
WANT ADS PAY

Real Estate! Leases! Royalties!
FOR SALE
3280 acres land, Travis county, 15 miles west of Austin. Price $12.50 per acre. Will take Mexia property up to Fifteen Thousand Dollars.
Low price on Anderson Hotel.
Two Closein Hotels For Sale.
For Rent Store Space in Alexander Bldg.
HOUSES FOR RENT
JESSE McLENDON
In McLendon Building --- Phone 1

LAUNCH WORLD-WIDE INVESTIGATION INTO TRANSPORTATION



ONE PHASE OF THE PROBLEM

CHICAGO.—World-wide investigation of all phases of transportation will be launched by the National Transportation Institute recently incorporated here for the benefit of the industrial and agricultural interests of the United States. James R. Howard of Iowa, formerly president of the American Farm Bureau Federation and one of the organizers of the farm bloc in Congress, is president of the institute. Edward Clark, former chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission, is chairman of the Research Bureau and Congressman Sydney Anderson of Minnesota, vice-chairman.

The institute is the outgrowth of the recommendations of the Agricultural Conference called by President Harding last year and of Congressman Anderson's joint commission on agricultural inquiry.

"The institute," said President Howard, "will investigate traffic on railroads, lakes, inland waterways, highways and ocean in the United States and in foreign nations. It has no connection with the government. Its investigations will be nonpartisan, disinterested and uncolored by theories or political doctrines and will be carried on through highly trained men working scientifically to discover the basic facts of the whole transportation problems. The institute will be permanent. It will report to the American people through pamphlets and bulletins as its results are obtained.

"Transportation will be the most important problem confronting the United States for the next ten years. Bound up with transportation is the very life of the great industrial and agricultural interests of the nation. It touches every home in its direct bearing on the cost of living. It affects the prosperity of lumbering, mining, manufacturing, grain and livestock interests and every business that requires transportation to market its commodities. There are no reliable statistics on transportation as a whole. The National Transportation Institute will remedy this defect. Its survey will be the greatest investigation of transportation ever undertaken and its results will be vital to the American nation."

W. B. Kendrick Lets Contract Fine Home

W. B. Kendrick has let the contract for his new home to be erected at the corner of Titus and Canton streets. The building will be two stories, brick veneer and will cost about $22,000. M. Bryant has the contract and the plans were drawn by J. F. Denning.

Thus, there seems to be no let up in Mexia's substantial building program.

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New hosiery worn at the theatre shows a front panel of one color set into a black stocking with a zigzag line where the two colors join.

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In order to find out if the "dry" laws mean anything, Mrs. Samuel Frank, Rutland (Vt.) clubwoman, has obtained a commission as justice of the peace.

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Miss Bessie Friedman of Seatle, Wash., made a new record for speedy typewriting when she wrote 132 words a minute, for a full half hour, without an error.

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Mrs. G. A. Walters visited in Corsicana Sunday, accompanied by her little daughter, Bess. They visited Mrs. Walters' sister, Mrs. Inabnit of that city.

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Mr. Jesse Dollarhide left for Denison where he will attend to business.

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Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith were Corsicana visitors Sunday.

Dorothy Phillips in Slander the Woman

National Theatre Today

SORE THROAT
Gargle with warm salt water —then apply over throat—
VICKS VAPORUB
Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

A. A. Guest of Corsicana was in the city Monday.

"WORSE THAN PAIN"

Louisiana Lady Says She Has "Never Found Anything Better Than Cardui for a Run-Down Condition."

Morgan City, La.—"It would be hard for me to tell how much benefit I have derived from the use of Cardui," said Mrs. I. G. Bowman, of 1319 Front Street, this city.

"I was so run-down in health I could hardly go. I was thin. I had no appetite. Could not rest or sleep well. I was so weak, and so very nervous, I was no pleasure to myself.

"I suffered some pain, but the worst of my trouble was from being so weak and easy to get tired and out of heart.

"This nervous condition was worse than pain.

"Some one told me of Cardui, and I decided to use it.

"After using a few bottles, I regained my strength. I wasn't so nervous, and began to eat and sleep, and grew stronger and was soon well.

"I have never found anything better for a run-down condition."

If you suffer as this Louisiana lady did, you, too, should find Cardui helpful for your troubles.

Get a bottle of Cardui, today. NC-144

Though she is past 84 years of age, Mrs. Rebecca Wood has just madefinal proof on her 640 acres of grazing land near Buford, Wyo.

Mrs. C. J. Ott, first woman ever to preside over the Ohio house of representatives, was a Red Cross canteen worker during the world war.

If you just know where to look

YOU can get most anything out of a hat. But no parlor entertainer ever undertook to get Darcova quality out of a valve cup that didn't carry the Darcova label. It isn't there.

When you want valve cups to lift the oil and keep on lifting the oil—to wear and keep on wearing, buy the genuine Darcova.

Look for the label, and remember to say Darcova, whenever you ask for valve cups.

DARCOVA VALVE CUP

The Original Composition Cup — Look for the Name

Mexia Twenty Years Ago

Compiled by N. P. Houx
From Files of Mexia Evening News of May 30. 1903.

C. J. Sterling and family and Mac Oliphant and family spent Sunday at Love Springs.

Mrs. W. B. Kendrick returned from a visit to Thornton Sunday afternoon. She was accompanied by Miss Pearl Weaverly who will spend some time visting here.

Z. T. Morton of Personville had the misfortune to lose a fine mule last night, in the wagon yard, from colic.

Dr. Cook and W. D. Pittman have received a lot of black bass from the government fish hatchery at San Marcos, with which to stock their fish tanks.

Mrs. Jesse Palmer has returned to Thornton after a few days visit with Mrs. W. B. Kendrick.

Mexia and Calvert played a fine game of ball resulting in a victory for Mexia—11-4.

The school board elected Prof. N. R. Crozier as superintendent, J. W. Reid as principal, Miss Mattie Watson assistant principal, and among the other teachers, Miss Georgie Watson, Miss Carrie Everett, Miss Bell, Ingram, Miss Theckla Clark, and Miss Bettie Burson.

The grand jury list contains the names of Lee Dorsett, Ed Allen, Z. T. Morton, J. K. Calloway, and Chas. Roberts, all still living in the county.

The district court petit jury contains these Mexia men still living here: Reuban Parker, V. R. Means, Luther Cox, Richard Kersee, M. W. Shumate, and T. W. Brodnax.

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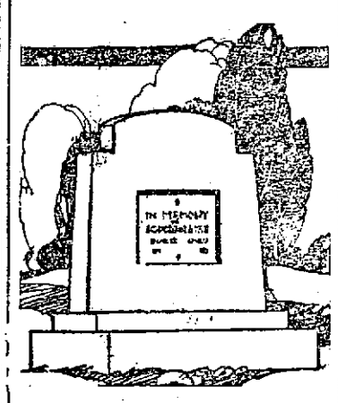
HERE TO STAY. Business good, Summer school begins June 1st enrole now. Sinclair Business School, 110 Spreng bldg. 3047



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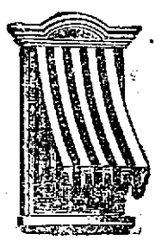

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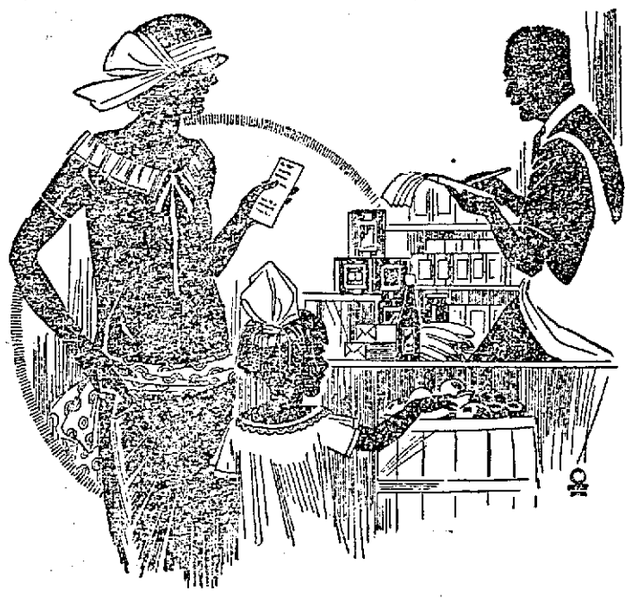

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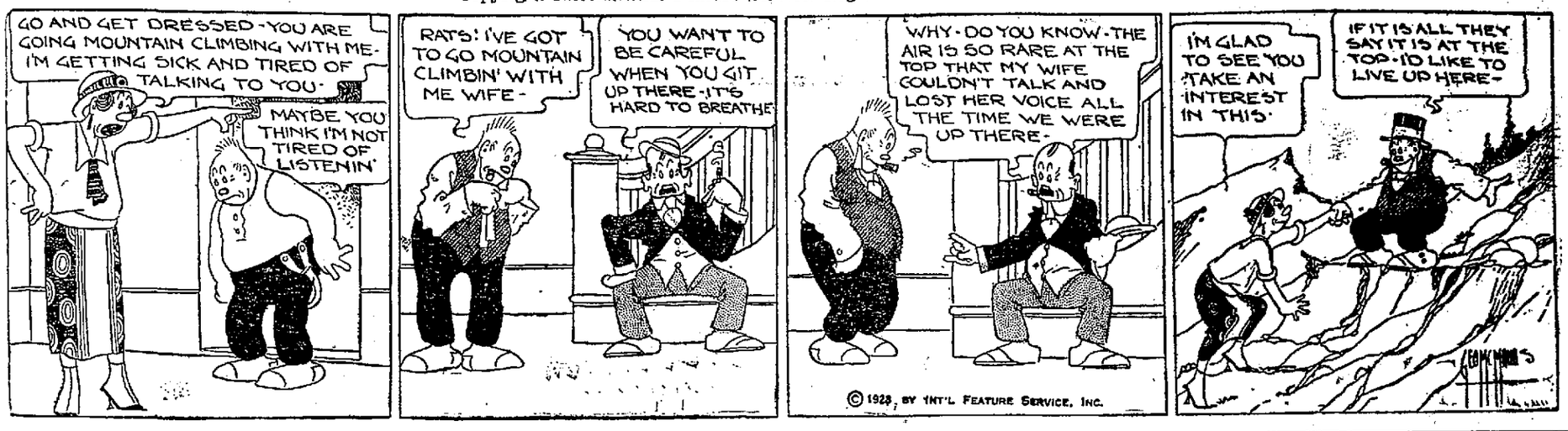
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Many comments of praise have been heard for the management of the Ardmore Hotel on South McKinney stret for the work done in front of the two houses operating under that name. The space between the sidewalk and curbing has been set out in lovely flowers of varied bright hues. These are well kept with close and constant attention. A pretty lattice work, on which vines are soon to climb, has also been set up in front of the door, which is useful as well as ornamental. It keeps dust out of the house and lends a most attractive appearance to the place. The management is being commended most generously and generally for this interest in a better Mexia. Mayor Ernest Watson is among those who have made special comment regarding this good work. Let's continue the good work all over town.

Mrs. and Mrs. John Phillips are having a new porch and other improvements added to their home on North Bonham street. They have worked very effectively in recent weeks in beautifying the place, all about the place and extending to the curb. Deep holes were dug in the space between the sidewalk and curbing and fertile dirt filled in and then flowers have been planted in these spots which are located at regular intervals, making one of the most attractive fronts in Mexia.

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Witness, J. L. Day, clerk of the county court of Limestone county.

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10d20t

CO-OPERATIVE FARM MARKETING NOTES

Department of Agriculture Plans to Study Scientific Distribution Equally With Production.

More attention must be given in the future to the economics of agriculture and to better marketing methods, without lessening efforts to promote efficient production, it is declared by Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, in a contribution to the Banker-Farmer, the bulletin of the American Bankers Association Agricultural Commission. Under the direction of H. Otis, the commission is giving special attention to co-operative farm marketing.

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"When land was advancing rapidly in value the farmer could afford to take some of his profit in the increased value of his land," says Secretary Wallace. "We are past the period of advancing land values, and, if agriculture is to be maintained, it must be on a basis which will yield a fair profit one year with another. So I have been studying the department with a view to strengthening our economic work."

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"We have gotten into the habit of looking upon agricultural production as a sacred obligation, and so it is in one sense, but it is no more sacred or binding than the obligation to market crops without waste. If we do not do that we might as well not produce them," says Mr. Wallace.

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He adds: "It is the purpose of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics to inquire into everything which affects marketing and price, with the thought that we must serve the agriculture of the nation as thoroughly on the economic side as we have served it in the past on the productive side. As to working our way out of the depression, the first responsibility rests upon the individual farmer. If he is to get help he must help himself, both as an individual and by joining with other individuals in co-operative efforts. The Government is under obligation to clear away any obstacles which do not give to the farmers, individually and collectively, a fair chance to help themselves. The farmer is entitled to exactly the same rights and the same opportunities that are enjoyed by other citizens. He is entitled to a square deal."

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"It is not the obligation of the Government to give the farmer any privileges not given to others," Mr. Wallace continues. "If I understand the minds of the farmers of the United States, they are not asking for special privileges. All they are asking is that they may be assured of equal opportunities, of open and competitive markets, and the right to organize and market their products collectively, and to have the same access to the nation's money pool as other people have. Farmers can meet together, pass resolutions, make speeches, and go home feeling better for a time; but this sort of thing alone will not get them very far. The time has come when the farmers must themselves organize agriculture in a thoroughly businesslike way; adjust their production to the needs of consumption; stabilize their products and market them efficiently; study conditions agriculturally and industrially which influence the demand for and consumption of their crops; get a better understanding of the administration of the credit machinery; and employ trained men to do for them what they can not do for themselves."

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That is to say, in substance, that agriculture must be put on a par in efficiency of method with other Big Business.

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It has been pointed out by the United States Department of Agriculture that insufficient business and poor management are the outstanding reasons for the failure of many farmers' co-operative associations. Lack of capital, liberal extension of credit and dishonest management are the minor causes for the failure of 243 farmers' buying and selling associations since 1913. At the same time it was learned that out of 70 co-operative creameries, their average length of existence was a little over seven and one-half years.

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The State Bank Division of the American Bankers Association is now compiling facts of successful co-operatives of all kinds and in all parts of the country, with the idea of building up a body of sound method and experience to serve as a trustworthy guide in the further development of the co-operative farm marketing movement.

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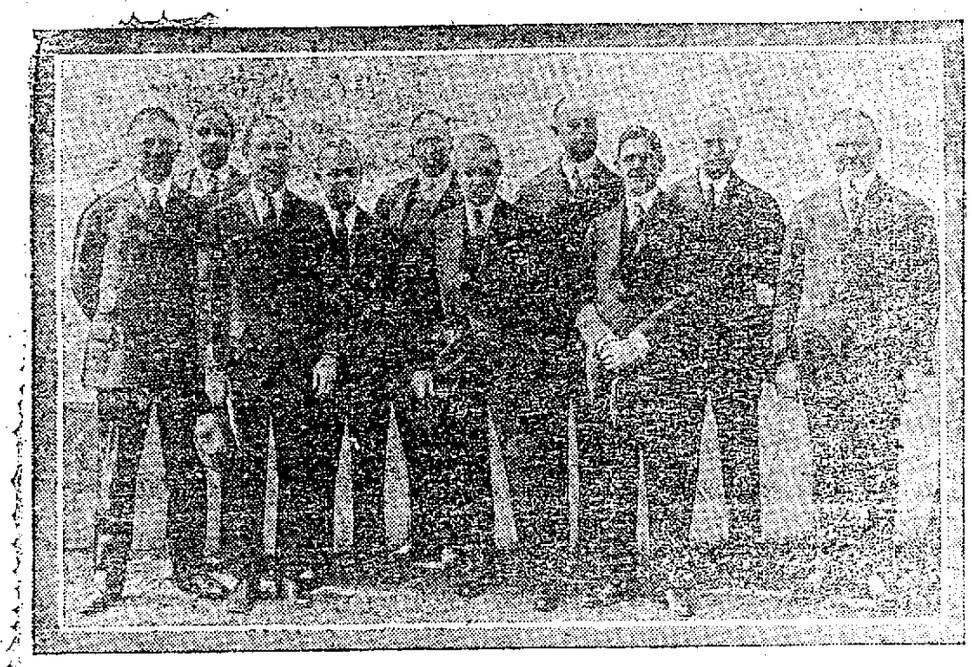
Causes Blocking Progress In Soft Coal Industry Revealed Before Fact-Finding Commission



Spokesmen for mine owners who are cooperating with the United States Coal Commission. Left to right: Col. Henry L. Stimson and Goldthwaite H. Dorr, New York, counsel for the operators; A. M. Ogle, Terre Haute, President, National Coal Association; P. H. Penna, Terre Haute, President, Indiana Coal Operators Association; J. G. Bradley, Dundon, West Virginia, President West Virginia Coal Association; John C. Brydon, Somerset, Pa., Chairman, Bituminous Operators' Special Committee; Tracy W. Guthrie, Pittsburgh, member Special Committee; H. W. Little, Evansville, Ind., Secretary, Special Committee; F. W. Lukins, Kansas City, member of committee, and Allan H. Willett, Washington, statistician.

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The Bituminous Operators' Special Committee, formed to cooperate with the United States Coal Commission, and as a liaison between the industry and the public, has outlined the ills of the coal industry as viewed by the operators. The committee represents about 70% of the commercial tonnage of bituminous coal, and is the first joint body ever authorized to speak for any considerable portion of the industry, which is highly competitive and comprises 9,000 independent operators.

John C. Brydon, of Somerset, Pa., Chairman of the Special Committee, described in his committee's first report the following four major obstacles to satisfactory bituminous coal mining from the standpoint of the public and the industry:

1. Instability of labor conditions, due to the monopolistic power and methods of the United Mine Workers of America, with the following consequent handicaps to the industry:
   (a) Inability of mine owners to lay plans even a year ahead with any certainty of regular operation.
   (b) Inability on the part of the industry to make maximum use through steady shipments of the transportation facilities of the country.
   (c) High costs of mining, resulting in high prices, due to constantly interrupted and therefore uneconomic operations and to property losses through violence.
   (d) Exorbitant labor costs, causing prices which force other working people in effect to exchange from two to four days' labor for one day of mining labor when they buy coal.
   (e) Continual threats of even higher wage demands, to be enforced by bludgeoning and violence.

2. Transportation difficulties. These constitute an obvious and fundamental deterrent to satisfactory supply and price of coal. Problems of car shortage and suggestions for improving the present system of car distribution are being studied.

3. Seasonal demand. A determined and thorough effort by the industry to encourage and teach the storage of coal is certain to be one of the committee's recommendations.

4. Speculation. Out of the evils listed above grows destructive opportunity for the industry's barnacles, the speculators who, and those mines which, lie idle when supply is normal and strive for "killings" when demand is hot and prices high. The great body of constructive business citizens who constitute the bulk of the bituminous mining industry are as desirous as the public itself to so stabilize the industry as to stamp out the speculator.

BOSTON, Mass., May 30.—Bobby Quinn, vice president and business manager of the St. Louis Browns, will become the president and general manager of the Red Sox when the club changes hands, it is reported here.

666 Cures Dengue Fever.

NEW YORK, May 30.—Andrew Andriola, truck driver, was awarded an Art Scholarship by the Art League, which is headed by Charles Dana Gibson.

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HAMMONTON, N. J., May 30.—A man can't run an automobile and pet a woman at the same time, Justice Mischlich said as he fined William Sciovene $14 for one-handed driving.

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Stovall Pitches Gushers To Victory Over Rangers

AUSTIN, May 30.—The heavy hitting Gushers continued an effective fight for championship in the Texas Association when they defeated the Austin Rangers in an interesting contest here Tuesday. However, the Rangers clouted as many as did the visitors. Two of the Austin club swatted home runs. They were Falk and Fleharty. The latter pitched for the locals. He formerly was on the Marlin line up. Mexia took the lead in the opening round and then didn't score again until the fourth, when two tallies came home. With the score standing 5 to 0 in favor of the Gushers, Austin rallied and ran in four scores in the eighth. The visitors cinched the game with a couple in the ninth frame, while the Rangers didn't raise their score.

Box Score

MEXIA—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Geppert, ss	4	0	0	3	2	0
Royster, 1b	4	1	2	5	1	1
Leedy, 2b	2	1	0	3	1	0
Butler, 3b	4	1	1	3	2	0
Bechtol, lf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Bryan, cf	4	0	1	7	0	0
Howell, rf	3	1	0	3	0	0
Whitney, c	4	2	1	0	2	0
Stovall, p	4	1	1	0	1	1
	33	7	7	27	9	2

AUSTIN—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Falk, 2b	5	1	2	3	4	3
Clements, ss	4	0	0	1	0	0
Chaney, 3b	3	0	1	2	1	0
Holloway, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Lowrance, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Autry, c	4	0	1	9	2	0
Crow, 1b	3	1	0	5	0	0
Whitworth, lf	4	1	1	3	0	0
Brokes, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fleharty, p	2	1	1	0	0	0
	33	4	7	27	7	3

Score byinnings:

Mexia .....100 020 022—7
Austin .....000 000 040—4

Home runs: Fleharty, Falk. Three base hit: Whitworth. Two-base hits: Bryan, Butler, Bechtol. Bases on ball Fleharty 6; Stovall 3. Struck out: Fleharty 5, Brooks 1.

CORSICANA 8; SHERMAN 2

CORSICAN, May 30.—Plenty of hits featured Corsicana's 8 to 2 victory over Sherman yesterday.

SHERMAN	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Lewis, 3b	4	1	1	1	2	0
Meanor, 2b	4	0	0	2	2	0
Frierson, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Pyle, lf	4	1	2	1	0	0
McIver, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Richburg, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
McKay, 1b	4	0	1	14	0	1
Bupp, ss	4	0	0	2	6	1
Schieffer, c	4	0	0	1	0	0
Sewell, p	3	0	0	1	1	0

CORSICANA	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Clopp, cf	5	1	1	0	0	0
Malmquist, 2b	3	3	2	3	1	1
Sengotta, lf	5	0	2	3	0	0
Grubb, 3b	4	2	1	2	4	0
Speegle, 1b	4	1	3	11	0	0
Sain, ss	4	1	3	2	3	0
Lumly, rf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Siemer, c	4	0	0	3	0	0
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Cantrell, p	1	0	0	1	4	0
	36	8	12	27	12	1

Sherman .....010 001 000—2
Corsicana .....111 602 00x—8

Three base hit: Clopp, Bases on balls: Cantrell 1; Sewell 2. Hwo base hits: Pyle, Speegle. Home run: Lewis. Struck out: Cantrell 1; Sewell 1. Hit by pitcher: Malmquist.

TEXAS ASSICIATION

Where They Play Today
Mexia at Austin.
Sherman at Corsicana.
Marlin at Waco.

Results Yesterday
Waco 8, Marlin 0.
Sherman 2, Corsicana 8.
Austin 4, Mexia 7.

Standing of Clubs

TEAM—	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Mexia	39	26	13	.667
Sherman	39	21	18	.538
Corsicana	39	21	18	.538
Waco	40	20	20	.500
Marlin	41	19	22	.463
Austin	40	12	28	.300

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Homers by Vache and Wano helped the Steers defeat the Buffs, 7 to 4. Bell of Houston also hit a four-sacker.

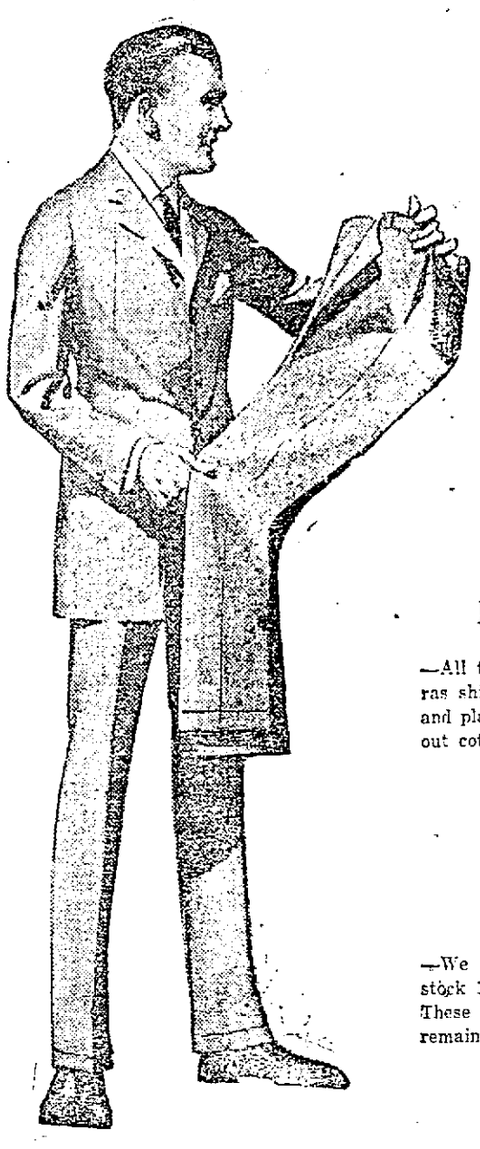
The Bears hit Foreman's offerings to all corners of the lot and won from the Gassers, 8 to 1.

The Panthers won their eighth straight game by defeating the Beaumont Exporters, 8 to 2.

Meine won his fifth straight when the Spudders defeated the Sandcras, 9 to 5.

There Are Great Advantages In Buying Men's Wear at Our Store

All Lines Are On Sale --- Greatly Reduced



Men's Summer Suits

$37.50 Values, now.....$28.13
$32.50 Values, now.....$24.38
$28.50 Values, now.....$21.28
$24.00 Values, now.....$18.50
$18.50 Values, now.....$13.50

—Here you will find many suits with two pairs of trousers—in belted and conservative models.

Dress Shirts
In Silk and Madras

—All the latest patterns in silk and madras shirts for summer wear. Pretty stripe and plaid effects, very desirable for "without cot" wear. Reduced—

ONE FOURTH

Shirts
With Collar Attached

—Shirts of woven madras, percale and cotton pongee. A good assortment from which to make your selection.

$3.00 Shirts, now.....$2.25
$2.50 Shirts, now.....$1.90
$2.00 Shirts, now.....$1.50
$1.50 Shirts, now.....$1.20

Odd Pants

—We have just received and placed in stock 100 pair of summer pants for men. These go in this reduction sale with the remained of our stock at a reduction of

ONE FOURTH

Straw Hats

—Time to get your second straw. Why wear a soiled hat when you can get a new one at a fourth off? All the new styles and shapes for men. Reduced—

ONE FOURTH

Summer Unions

—Munsingwear—that perfect fitting union. Made for comfort and endurance. Three-quarter or knee length. All sizes. Reduced

ONE FOURTH

Phoenix and Buster Brown Hosiery

—Good grades of hosiery in silk and fiber. All colors, all sizes. Most have reinforced heels and toes. On sale at a reduction of—

ONE FOURTH

Silk and Knitted Ties

—Good looking ties for men! Just the kind that you want for dress or every day wear. Knitted silks and pasilees. On sale at a reduction of—

ONE FOURTH

Mexia Dry Goods Company

209 COMMERCE STREET

If It's To Eat ..... Buy It At Tidwell's

—Nice selected fryers just received from the country. Average price dressed, 65c to 75c each.

—Choice Veal

—Choice Lamb

—Imported and Domestic Cheese

—Every piece of meat we are now offering for sale bears the Government Inspectors' stamp. You can tell the difference. Try it!

—Our meat boxes are dry and clean. We are glad to show you through our refrigerating plant any time.

POTATOES	New Ones per lb.	3c
LEMONS	per dozen	20c
SUGAR	10 lbs. Pure Cane	$1.10
PRESERVES	16 oz. Jars	28c
MAYONNAISE	Frenchys Large Sizes	35c
FLOUR	24 lbs. Red Mark	$1.00

—Seven bars White Naptha Soap and one large measuring cup all while they last.....49c

BASKETS

Priced from 45c to $11.50.

—Fancy Shopping Baskets
—Fancy Sewing Baskets
—Fancy Magazine Baskets
—Fancy Clothes Baskets
—Fancy Waste Baskets

—All baskets are strongly built and beautifully colored.

REFRIGERATOR BASKETS

—These hold sufficient food and drinks for from five to twelve people and keep it cold for twenty four hours. Fine for picnic parties and automobile tourists.